

BANQUE NATIONALE de la REPUBLIQUE d'HAITI

1947 - 1950

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There is a separate packet, for:
BANQUE NATIONALE de la REPUBLIQUE d'HAITI

SHIPMENTS
CUSTOMER'S ORDERS

C. P. R.
JAN - 4 1947

DUPLICATE SENT

Air Mail

January 2, 1947

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti

Dear Sirs:

Further to our letter of December 17th we are now pleased to advise that we have arranged to ship, per the S.S. "Irish Splice" scheduled to sail from this port January 8th, the balance of your valued order of April 3, 1946, consisting of 700,000 notes of 2 Gourdes.

As soon as the executed shipping documents have come to hand they will be forwarded to you with our usual letter of advice, giving complete details of the shipment.

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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see 1/17/47

File

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Correspondants à l'Etranger—National City Bank of New York

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI

AIR MAIL

PORT-AU-PRINCE, January 14, 1947

REFERENCE C-11-8

American Bank Note Company,
70, Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

Gentlemen:-

We acknowledge receipt of your letter of December 26th advising shipment by SS "COASTAL MESSENGER" of 10 cases of 1 Gourde Notes, part of our order of April 3, 1946.

The shipment of One Gourde notes numbered AE 000 001 - AE 1000 000 was received promptly and was verified as usual in the presence of Haitian Government officials and was found to be correct. There is enclosed our bank draft on New York in your favour for \$ 9,564.15 covering the preparation and forwarding of the notes.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAITI
COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

C.E. van Waterschoodt,
Vice President & Manager.

Recd 1/17/47

Bank of the Republic of Haiti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haitien au Capital de Cent Millions de Gourdes

Treasury of the State of Haiti

Securities and Assets of the Bank of the Republic of Haiti

Correspondence with the Bank of the Republic of Haiti

INSURANCE

FOREIGN DEPT.
A.B.N.O.O.



JAN 17 1947

PORT-A-PRINCE

C.P.A.
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JAN 21 1947

Air Mail

January 17, 1947

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti

Dear Sirs:-

We duly received your favor of January 14th, reference C-11-8, together with your bank draft on New York, in our favor, for \$9,564.15, in settlement of our invoice of December 26, 1946 covering the preparation and forwarding of 1 Gourde Notes.

Thanking you for this remittance, we remain,

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Treasurer

GWTC:grl

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

January 23, 1947

Order Department:

le
C.P.
JAN 29 1947
Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
F12396 - 5 Gourdes Notes

956 33896
Order Entered
By *only*
No *212396*
Date *1/24/47*

Please note on the above order that the signatures on the
face of the notes are to be engraved "below" and not "above" the respective
titles.

W. J. Combs
Asst. Manager Foreign Department

AP:iw

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J.B.P.
JAN 23 1947

January 29, 1947

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Union Southern Air Lines,
Empire State Bldg.,
New York, N. Y.

C. P. R.
FEB 10 1947

Gentlemen:

Will you kindly send your invoice for shipment of three cases of notes on November 15, 1946, amounting to \$197.10. These notes were consigned to Banque Nationale de la Republique D'Haiti Port-au Prince, Haiti.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

JFC:H

Assistant Comptroller

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

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Correspondants à l'Etranger—National City Bank of New York

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

BY AIR MAIL
REGISTERED.

PORT-AU-PRINCE, February 5, 1947

C11-8

REFERENCE.....H-1

American Bank Note Company,
70, Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

Gentlemen:-

We have been asked by the Haitian Government to furnish with a minimum of delay complete information concerning all notes authorized by them from the first issue of definitive bills up to the present time.

We have ready access to the required information from 1928, the year the small dimensions bills were inaugurated here, up to the present time, but the records for pre-1928 bills are incomplete and can only be assembled following an extended delay. It occurs to us that you may be willing to co-operate by furnishing the information from your records. To that end, we attach two copies of lists of the pre-1928 definitive bills, extracted from the lists furnished by your letter of July 5, 1935 to Messrs Deloitte, Plender, Griffiths & Co who were inspecting here at that time, in connection with the sale of the Banque to the Haitian Government.

We request that you complete the attached # lists by inserting in space below each shipment:-

- 1.- The names of the signatories
- 2.- The size of the bills
- 3.- The vignette

We understand that the signatures to some of the bills were:
R.L. Farnham, O. Scarpa, Eug. Paul.

If you can complete this information at an early date and send it to us by Air Mail letter we shall be very appreciative

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

C. E. van Waterschoodt
C. E. van Waterschoodt,
Vice President & Manager.

#-See Photostats attached.

P.S. Should you find any difficulty in obtaining data for pre-definitive bills era, kindly disregard same and send us with least possible delay what you can readily furnish.

One

enclosure for filing

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat, au capital de Cent Millions de Gourdes

Trésorerie de l'Etat, au capital de Cent Millions de Gourdes

Comptabilité de l'Etat, au capital de Cent Millions de Gourdes

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PORT-AU-PRINCE

FEB 10 1947

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THESE ORDER NOS.
ERASED FROM ORIGINAL
BEFORE RETURNING
SAME TO BANK.

	<u>Date</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Denomination</u>	<u>Series & Numbers</u>
(A)	February 1917	500,000	1 Gourde	Al-A500,000
	1.- Signatories	R.L. FARNHAM, O. SCARPA, J.E. PAUL		
	2.- Size of bills	APPROX. 7 1/16 X 3 1/4 INCHES.		
	3.- Vignette-FACE;	PORTRAIT OF J.J. DESSALINES AND COAT OF ARMS.		BACK; AGRICULTURAL SCENE
(B)	October 1917	1,500,000	1 Gourde	B1-B500,000 C1-C500,000 D1-D500,000
	1.- SAME AS (A)			
	2.- SAME AS (A)			
	3.- SAME AS (A)			
(C)	May 1919	250,000	1 Gourde	E1-E250,000
		250,000	2 Gourdes	GG1-GG250,000
	1.- SAME AS (A)			
	2.- SAME AS (A)			
	3.- 1 GOURDE, SAME AS (A). - 2 GOURDES, FACE SAME AS (A);			BACK, MINING SCENE
(D)	June 1919	500,000	1 Gourde	E-250001-E-500,000
		750,000	2 Gourdes	F-1 - F-250,000 HH1-HH250,000 II1-II250,000 JJ1-JJ250,000
	1.- SAME AS (A)			
	2.- SAME AS (A)			
	3.- SAME AS (C)			
(E)	July 1919	1,250,000	1 Gourde	F250,001-F500,000 G1-G500,000 H1-H500,000
	1.- SAME AS (A)			
	2.- SAME AS (A)			
	3.- SAME AS (A)			
(F)	October 1919	650,000	1 Gourde	I-1 - I-500,000
		300,000	2 Gourdes	J-1 - J-150,000 KK1-KK250,000 LL1-LL250,000
	1.- SAME AS (A)			
	2.- SAME AS (A)			
	3.- SAME AS (C)			
(G)	November 1919	850,000	1 Gourde	J-150,001-J-500,000
		900,000	2 Gourdes	K-1 - K-500,000 LL50,001-LL250,000 MM1-MM250,000 NN-1 - NN-250,000 PP1-PP200,000
	1.- SAME AS (A)			
	2.- SAME AS (A)			
	3.- SAME AS (C)			
(H)	December 1919	1,000,000	1 Gourde	L1-L500,000
		550,000	2 Gourdes	M1-M-500,000 PP200,001-PP250,000 QQ1-QQ250,000 RR1-RR250,000
	1.- SAME AS (A)			
	2.- SAME AS (A)			
	3.- SAME AS (C)			

C. S. H.
FEB 26 1947

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FEB 26 1947

<u>Date</u>		<u>Quantity</u>		<u>Denomination</u>	<u>Series & Numbers</u>
(I) September 1920		2,000,000	506v	2 Gourdes	A-1 - A-500,000 B-1 - B-500,000 C-1 - C-500,000 D-1 - D-500,000
1.- R.L. FARNHAM, O. SCARPA, J.E. PAUL					
2.- APPROX. 6 1/2 x 3 3/8 inches					
3.- FACE; BANANA TREE. BACK; COFFEE BUSH					
(J) February 1920		250,000	514b	10 Gourdes	A-1 - A-250,000
(K) October 1920		2,000,000	5091	1 Gourde	A-1 - A-1,000,000 B-1 - B-1,000,000 E-1 - E-500,000
		500,000	506v	2 Gourdes	
1.- R.L. FARNHAM, O. SCARPA, J.E. PAUL					
2.- SAME AS (I)					
3.- SAME AS (I)					
(L) November 1920		2,000,000	5091	1 Gourde	C-1 - C-1,000,000 D-1 - D-1,000,000
1.- SAME AS (K)					
2.- SAME AS (I)					
3.- SAME AS (I)					
(M) December 1920		1,500,000	5091	1 Gourde	E-1 - E-1,000,000 F-1 - F-500,000
1.- SAME AS (K)					
2.- SAME AS (I)					
3.- SAME AS (I)					
February 1920		250,000		10 Gourdes	A-1 - A-250,000
1.-					
2.-					
3.-					
(N) January 1921		2,000,000	5091	1 Gourde	F-500,001-F-1,000,000 G-1-G-1,000,000 H-1-H-500,000
1.- SAME AS (K)					
2.- SAME AS (I)					
3.- SAME AS (I)					
(O) November 1924		150,000	774v	2 Gourdes	F-1-F150,000 See Note 1
1.- C.E. MITCHELL, W.F. VOORHIES, C. VORBE					
2.- SAME AS (I)					
3.- SAME AS (I)					
(P) ** December 1924		1,000,000	7741	1 Gourde	H-500,001-H-1,000,000
		850,000	774v	2 Gourdes	J-1-J-500,000 F-150,001-F-500,000 G-1 - G-500,000
1.- SAME AS (O)					
2.- SAME AS (I)					
3.- SAME AS (I)					
(Q) October 1925		1,050,000	7947	1 Gourde	J-500,001-J-1,000,000
		200,000	7959	2 Gourdes	K-1 - K-550,000 H-1 - H-200,000
1.- SAME AS (O)					
2.- SAME AS (I)					
3.- SAME AS (I)					
(R) November 1925		950,000	7947	1 Gourde	K-550,001-K1,000,000
		800,000	7959	2 Gourdes	L-1 - L-500,000 H-200,001-H-500,000 J-1 - J-500,000
1.- SAME AS (O)					
2.- SAME AS (I)					
3.- SAME AS (I)					
(S) ** December 1924		400,000	7717	5 Gourdes	A-1 - A-200,000 B-1 - B-200,000
1.- SAME AS (O)					
2.- SAME AS (I)					
3.- SAME AS (I)					

C. P. R.
FEB 14 1947

Mr. Arnold Reece
Manager, Engraving Division
Bronx Plant

February 10, 1947

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI

To respond to an inquiry from the above and as the information is not on our order sheet, will you please inform us at your very earliest convenience the trimmed sizes of notes made for the above as follows:

- 1 Gourde - Engraved on F4516 (Rep. of Haiti) and reprinted
on F5863, F6098 and F6123
- 2 Gourdes - Engraved on F4517 (Rep. of Haiti) and reprinted
on F5868, F6097 and F6124
- 1 Gourde - Engraved on F5091 and reprinted on F7741 and F7947
- 2 Gourdes - " " F5062 " " " F7742 and F7959
- 5 " " " F7717 " " "
- 10 " - " " F5146

The bank has requested that if there is any difficulty in obtaining the data relative to the first two items we should not delay advising as to the last four items because of it.

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JWB:grl

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Département Commercial

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Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, February 11, 1947

AIR MAIL

REFERENCE C-11-8

American Bank Note Company,
70, Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

E. F. P.

FEB 13 1947

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Gentlemen:-

We acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 17, 1947
advising shipment by SS "IRISH SPLICE" of 7 cases of 2 Gourdes notes,
completing our order of April 3, 1946.

The shipment of Two Gourdes Notes numbered S300 001-S1 000 000
was received promptly and was verified as usual in the presence of Haitian
Government officials and was found to be correct. There is enclosed our
bank draft on New York in your favour for \$ 6,697.80 covering the prepa-
ration and forwarding of the notes.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAITI
COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

C. E. van Waterschoodt,
Vice President & Manager.

No enclosure for filing

1/17/47

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Siège Social: Palais National, 1^{er} étage, Port-au-Prince

Capital: 100 millions de francs haïtiens

Statut: Société Anonyme à Capital Variable

Forme: Société Anonyme à Capital Variable

Direction Générale

PORT-AU-PRINCE

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FEB 13 1947

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C.P.H.
FEB 15 1947

Air Mail

February 13, 1947

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti.

Dear Sirs:-

We duly received your favor of the 11th instant, reference C-11-8, together with your bank draft on New York in our favor for US\$6,697.80 covering the preparation and forwarding of 2 Gourdes notes, shipped to your goodselves by the S.S. "IRISH SPLICE", as per our invoice of January 17th.

Thanking you for this remittance, we remain,

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Treasurer.

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RADIOGRAM

CLASS OF SERVICE DESIRED	
FOREIGN	DOMESTIC
FULL RATE	FULL RATE
DEFERRED	DAY LETTER
RADIO-GRAM	NIGHT MESSAGE
RADIO-GRAM-SEND	NIGHT LETTER
RADIO-LETTER	



Via RCA

WORLD
WIDE
WIRELESS

Via RCA



R.C.A.COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

No.	CASH OR CHG.
CHECK	
TIME FILED	

Send the following Radiogram *"Via RCA"* subject to terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

INSULAIRE

(Banco Nationale de la Rép. de Haiti)

February 21, 1947

Port-au-Prince(Haiti)

conf. 2.24.47

PARTIAL QUANTITY DENOMINATION FIVE READY FOR SHIPMENT STOP

PLEASE WIRE INSTRUCTIONS WHETHER TO SHIP BY SEA OR AIR

BANKNOTE

FULL-RATE MESSAGE UNLESS MARKED OTHERWISE

Sender's Name and Address:

(Not to be transmitted)

FORM 100-100

OFFICES IN NEW YORK CITY

ALWAYS OPEN
8.30 A.M. to 4.30 P.M. { 64 BROAD STREET
Produce Exchange • Bow, Green 8012
120 Cedar Street • Hitchcock 6766
165 Fulton Street • Cortlandt 2220
19 Spruce Street • Beekman 8220
8 A.M. to 8 P.M. { 25 East 17th Street • Algonquin 7050
126 Franklin Street • Walker 4891
284 Fifth Avenue • Lexington 5347
42d St. & Lexington Av. • Murray Hill 1891
102 West 56th Street • Circle 6210
8 A.M. to midnight { 19 W. 44th Street • Murray Hill 4996
10 A.M. to 6 P.M., Sun.

WASHINGTON OFFICE

8.30 A.M. to midnight. 1112 Connecticut Ave. Decatur 2600

BOSTON OFFICE

7:00 A.M. to 11:00 P.M. 109 Congress Street Liberty 8864

SAN FRANCISCO OFFICE

Always Open 28 Geary Street Garfield 4200
6:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. 330 California Street Garfield 4200

HONOLULU OFFICE

Always Open 923 Fort Street Tel. No. 6116

Radiograms for South America and Europe, or for transmission via Europe, may be filed at any office of the R. C. A. Communications, Inc. or Postal Telegraph Cable Company.

Radiograms for China, Dutch East Indies, French Indo China, Hawaiian Islands, Japan and the Philippine Islands may be filed at any R. C. A. Communications or Western Union office.

Radiograms addressed to ships at sea may be filed at any Western Union office.

ALL MESSAGES ACCEPTED BY THIS COMPANY ARE SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

To guard against mistakes, the sender of every radiogram should order it repeated; that is, telegraphed back to the originating office for comparison. The additional charge for this service is one-half the ordinary tolls.

Unless otherwise indicated on its face, this is an unrepeated radiogram and paid for as such, in consideration whereof it is agreed between the sender of the message and this company as follows:

1. This Company shall not be liable in any case for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery of any message, beyond its own terminals. In forwarding this message to the stations or over the circuits or lines of any other communications agency this Company is hereby made the agent of the sender without liability for mistakes, neglects or delays of such other communications agency, its agents or servants.

2. The Company shall not be liable for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery, of any message received for transmission at the unrepeated message rate, whether caused by the negligence of its servants or otherwise, beyond the sum of five hundred dollars; nor for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery, of any message received for transmission at the specially valued message rate, whether caused by the negligence of its servants or otherwise, beyond the sum at which such message shall be valued, in writing, by the sender thereof when tendered for transmission and for which payment is made of the amount of the repeated message rate plus an additional charge equal to one-tenth of one per cent of the amount by which such written valuation shall exceed five thousand dollars.

3. The Company shall not be liable in any case for delays arising from unavoidable interruptions in the working of its circuits; nor for delays or errors caused by storms or the action of the elements, or other acts of God, or by civil or military authority, or by insurrections, riots, rebellions, or the unlawful acts of individuals; nor for errors in cipher or obscure messages.

4. No responsibility attaches to this Company concerning messages until the same are accepted at one of its transmitting offices. If a message is sent to such office by messenger, whether supplied by the Company or not, the messenger acts for that purpose as the agent of the sender; if by telephone or by telegraph the person receiving the message acts therein as agent of the sender, and is authorized to assent to these conditions on behalf of the sender.

5. The Company will not be liable for damages or statutory penalties in any case where the claim is not presented in writing within sixty days after the message is filed with the Company for transmission.

6. It is agreed that in any action by the Company to recover the tolls for any message or messages the prompt and correct transmission and delivery thereof shall be presumed, subject to rebuttal by competent evidence.

7. The special terms governing the transmission of the messages classified below shall apply to such messages in addition to the foregoing terms.

8. No employees of the Company is authorized to vary the foregoing terms.

R. C. A. COMMUNICATIONS, Inc.

65 Broad Street, New York

DAVID SARNOFF, President.

CLASSES OF SERVICE

FOREIGN

Full-Rate Radiograms — An expedited service throughout. Code language permitted.

Deferred, Half-Rate Radiograms — Half-rate messages are subject to being deferred in favor of full rate messages for not exceeding 24 hours. Must be in language of country of origin or of destination, or in French. This class of service is in effect with most countries throughout the world. Full particulars supplied on application at any R. C. A. Communications office.

Urgent Rate Radiograms — Take precedence over all other commercial messages. The word "Urgent" should be written as the first word of the address.

Partly Urgent Radiograms — Treated as "Urgent" messages on the foreign telegraph systems. The indicator "PU" should be written as the first word of the address.

Radioletters — For plain-language communications. Must be in language of country of origin or destination, or in French. Subject to being deferred in favor of Full Rate and Deferred Radiograms. Now available to many countries. See Tariff Book for full particulars.

Week-End Radioletters — Similar to Radioletters except that they are accepted up to Midnight Saturday for delivery the following Monday.

DOMESTIC

Full-Rate Radiograms — An expedited service throughout.

Day Letters — A deferred day service at One and one-half times the standard rate for a 10-word Full Rate message for the transmission of 50 words or less and one-fifth of the initial charge for each additional 10 words or less.

Special Terms Applying to Day Letters:

In further consideration of the reduced rate for this special Day Letter service, the following special terms in addition to those enumerated above are hereby agreed to:

A. Day Letters may be forwarded by the Radio Company as deferred messages and the transmission and delivery of such Day Letters is, in all respects, subordinate to the priority of transmission and delivery of Full Rate Radiograms.

B. This Day Letter is received subject to the express understanding and agreement that the Company does not undertake that a Day Letter shall be delivered on the day of its date absolutely, and at all events; but that the Company's obligation in this respect is subject to the condition that there shall remain sufficient time for the transmission and delivery of such Day Letter on the day of its date during

regular office hours, subject to the priority of the transmission of Full Rate Radiograms under the conditions named above.

Night Messages — Accepted up to 2:00 A.M. at reduced rates to be sent during the night and delivered not earlier than the morning of the ensuing business day. See special conditions below.

Night Letters — Accepted up to 2:00 A.M. for delivery on the morning of the ensuing business day, at rates still lower than standard night message rates, as follows: The Full-Rate Radiogram rate for 10 words shall be charged for the transmission of 50 words or less, and one-fifth of the initial charge for each additional 10 words or less.

Special Terms Applying to Night Messages and Night Letters:

In further consideration of the reduced rates for these special Night Message and Night Letter services, the following special terms in addition to those enumerated above are hereby agreed to:

Night Messages and Night Letters may, at the option of the Radio Company, be mailed at destination to the addressee, and the Company shall be deemed to have discharged its obligation in such cases with respect to delivery by mailing such Night Messages or Night Letters at destination, postage prepaid.

No employee of the Company is authorized to vary the foregoing conditions.

RCA COMMUNICATIONS

A SERVICE OF RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA
64 BROAD STREET, N. Y., TEL. HA 2-1829



CATIONS, INC.

RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA
N. Y., TEL. HA 2-1829

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YHTBK215 XIX PORTAUPRINCE 12 21 415PM

LC BANKNOTE NEWYORK

YOUR CABLE OF TODAY PLEASE SHIP BY SEA

INSULAIRE (Banque Nationale de la Rep.d'Haiti)

C.P.H.
FEB 26 1947

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FEB 24 1947

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NC. RCA COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
A SERVICE OF RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA
64 BROAD STREET, N. Y., TEL. HA 2-1829

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FEB 24 1947

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE
WASHINGTON, D.C.
FEB 24 1947

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Correspondants à l'Etranger—National City Bank of New York

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

PORT-AU-PRINCE Feb. 21 1947.

REFERENCE C 11-8

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, New York.

C.P.R.
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Gentlemen:-

✓ This is to acknowledge, with thanks, the receipt of
your cablegram of today reading :

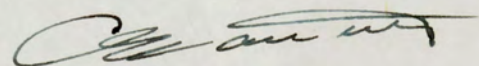
PARTIAL QUANTITY DENOMINATION FIVE
READY FOR SHIPMENT STOP PLEASE WIRE
INSTRUCTIONS WHETHER TO SHIP BY SEA
OR AIR

✓ AND to confirm our cabled reply of this date :

YOUR CABLE OF TODAY PLEASE SHIP BY SEA

all of which is quite clear and requires no amplification.

Yours very truly,



C. E. van Waterschoodt,
Vice President & Manager.

WFO
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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti

Département Commercial

Siège Social: 100, Rue de la République, Port-au-Prince, Haïti

Capital: 100,000,000 Francs Haïtiens

Comptes de Courants, Dépôts, Escomptes, etc.

Correspondance avec les Banques de Paris, Londres, etc.

Agence à New York: 100, Broadway, New York, N.Y.

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haïti

FEB 27 1947



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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
HUNTS POINT, N. Y.

ENGRAVING DIVISION
OFFICE OF THE MANAGER.

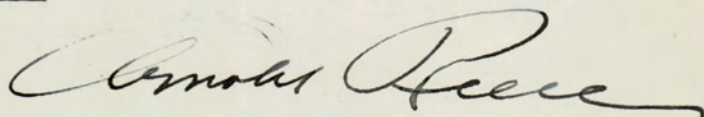
February 24, 1947

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Mr. G. W. T. Combs
Assistant Manager, Foreign Dept.

re - Banque Nationale De La Republique D'Haiti

1 Gourde	- engraved on F-4516 - 7 x 3 9/32 over all	} Say approx. 7 1/16 x 3 1/4
	reprints on F-5863 - 7 1/16 x 3 9/32 over all	
"	" F-6098 - 7 1/8 x 3 1/4 " "	
"	" F-6123 - 7 1/8 x 3 7/32 " "	
2 Gourdes	- engraved on F-4517 - 6 31/32 x 3 9/32 over all	} Say approx. 7 1/16 x 3 1/4
	reprints on F-5868 - 7 1/32 x 3 5/16 " "	
"	" F-6097 - 7 5/32 x 3 1/4 " "	
"	" F-6124 - 7 5/32 x 3 9/32 " "	
1 Gourde	- engraved on F-5091 - 6 7/16 x 3 3/8 over all	} Say approx. 6 1/4 x 3 3/8
	reprints on F-7741 - 6 15/32 x 3 13/32 over all	
"	" F-7947 - 6 1/2 x 3 13/32 " "	
2 Gourdes	- engraved on F-5062 - 6 13/32 x 3 11/32 over all	} Say approx. 6 1/4 x 3 3/8
	reprints on F-7742 - 6 7/16 x 3 3/8 over all	
"	" F-7959 - 6 3/8 x 3 11/32 " "	
5 Gourdes	- engraved on F-7717 - 6 1/2 x 3 3/8 over all	✓
	no reprints	
10 Gourdes	- engraved on F-5146 - 6 15/32 x 3 11/32 over all	} Say approx 6 1/4 x 3 3/8
	no reprints	



Manager, Engraving Division

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FEB 26 1947
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C. P. H.
FEB 26 1947

Air Mail Registered

February 24, 1947

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti

Dear Sirs:-

In response to your request of the 5th, reference C 11-8 H-1, we take pleasure in returning herewith the list in duplicate which was enclosed with your letter and on which we have added the information desired.

We regret it was not possible to complete the data earlier but trust this will have caused you no inconvenience.

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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Enc.

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

C.P.R.
MAR -7 1947

95 934317
Order Entered
By *Orh*
N *212396*
Date *2/25/47*

February 24, 1947

Order Department:

File

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti .
5 Gourde Notes .
F12396 .

Please add on the above order the following:

"Pack" (for shipment by steamer) in metal lined wooden
cases of 250,000 notes each.
The words "Made in U.S.A." are to be marked on outside
of all cases.
Mark cases:

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince,
Haiti.

[Signature]
Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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Air Mail
February 24, 1947

C. P. H.
FEB 26 1947

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Port-au-Prince,

Haïti.

Gentlemen:

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your wire of the 21st, in reply to ours of the same date, to the effect that we are to ship the 400,000 - 5 Gourdes notes by steamer.

We shall be glad to do so on the first available steamer after the notes will have been made ready for shipment the first part of March.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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American Bank Note Company
Garrison Ave. & Tiffany St.
New York 59, N.Y.

C. P. R.
MAR 14 1947

March 6, 1947

Mr. G. W. T. Combs
Ass't. Mgr. Foreign Department

BANQUE NAT. DE LA REP. HAITI - F 12381 & F 12382

We list below the shipping dates and quantities for 1,000,000 each of the 1 and 2 Gourde Notes being prepared on the above orders, which we trust you will find acceptable:

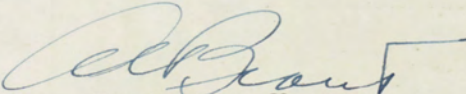
F 12381

June 4, 1947	- 250,000
18,	- 500,000
July 2,	- 250,000
	<u>1,000,000</u>

F 12382

June 4, 1947	- 250,000
18,	- 500,000
July 2,	- 250,000
	<u>1,000,000</u>

LVB:hkp


Production Manager

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C. P. R.
MAR 14 1947

A i r M a i l
March 10, 1947.

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti,
Port-au-Prince,
Haiti.

Gentlemen:

✓ We take pleasure in informing you that your valued order of October 22, 1946, for 1,000,000 One Gourde and 1,000,000 Two Gourdes notes, will be ready by July 2nd.

We will have ready partial lots of 250,000 notes of each denomination beginning June 4th and every fortnight thereafter. Consequently we could make such partial shipments if you so wish.

We would appreciate if you would be good enough to give us appropriate instructions.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Correspondants à l'Etranger—National City Bank of New York

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, March 17, 1947.....

REFERENCE.....

The American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

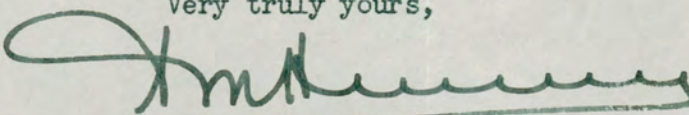
Att: Mr. G. W. Combs,
Asst. Manager Foreign Department

Gentlemen:

We duly received your letter of March 10, 1947 advising us that our order of October 22, 1946 for 1,000.000 One Gourde and 1,000.000 Two Gourdes notes will be ready by July 2nd.

We note that you will be in a position to ship partial lots of 250.000 notes of each denomination beginning June 4th and every fortnight thereafter. We believe the best procedure would be to arrange to make shipments in two lots, the first lot of 500,000 in One Gourde and 500,000 in Two Gourdes to be made about June 18th and the balance of the order to be shipped during first fortnight in July. These shipments of course should come forward by steamer.

Very truly yours,


A. M. Herres,
Sub-Manager

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

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MAR 20 1947

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MAR 20 1947

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

C.P. 2
MAR 25 1947

9593969
Order Entered
By *OXH*
No. *212381/2*
Date *3/24/47*

March 24, 1947.

Order Department:

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti

F12381/2 .

Please note on the above orders that they are to be shipped
in two lots of 500,000 notes each.

The first lot of 500,000 - 1 Gourde and 500,000 - 2 Gourdes
notes to be shipped by steamer on or about June 18th; the second lot of
like quantities to be shipped when completed, likewise by steamer.

[Signature]
Asst. Manager Foreign Department

AP:iw

J.H.P.
MAR 24 1947

C. P. H.
MAR 25 1947

DUPLICATE SENT

March 24, 1947

Air Mail

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti

Dear Sirs:-

A We wish to advise that we have arranged to ship per the
S.S. "COSTAL VIKING", which is scheduled to sail from New York
March 25th, eight (8) cases of bank notes for your account.

As soon as the executed shipping documents have come to
hand they will be forwarded to you with our usual letter of advice,
giving complete details of the shipment.

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Correspondants à l'Etranger—National City Bank of New York

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI

AIR MAIL

MAY -9 1947

PORT-AU-PRINCE, May 2, 1947

REFERENCE C-11-8

✓
act. May 7/47/af

American Bank Note Company,
70, Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

Gentlemen:-

✓
We duly received your letter of April 4th, enclosing documents covering shipment per the SS "COASTAL VIKING" of 8 cases containing:-

400 000 Notes of G:5.- Nos D600 001 to D1 000 000 = G:2 000 000

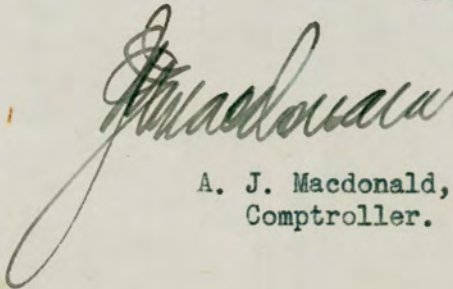
being a complete shipment of our order of November 8, 1946.

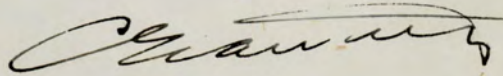
The cases have been received and opened as usual in the presence of Government Officials and contents found to be as specified on shipping documents. We were astounded to find that the fac simile signatures on the bills instead of being printed in black, as has been the case with all of our bills made by your Company in the past, have now been printed in red and we should like to have an explanation of why you permitted this change of colour to go through without first consulting us, because we should have immediately turned down any suggestion of a change of colour in the signatures. Of the many bills of different countries which have passed through our hands during the past half-century we cannot recall a single case in which the signatures were in any colour except black and this makes it all the more strange that at this particular time a red colour should suddenly appear in the official signatures to our bills.

Thanking you for your attention to this matter and awaiting your reply in due course,

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAITI
COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT


A. J. Macdonald,
Comptroller.


C. E. van Waterschoodt,
Vice Président & Manager.

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O.C.N.B.A. Commercial



PORT-AU-PRINCE

MAY -6- 1947

MAY -5- 1947



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The undersigned have been authorized and opened an account in the name of the Government of Haiti and certain funds to be deposited in the said account. The undersigned have been authorized to receive and deposit in the said account the funds of the Government of Haiti and to issue checks and drafts in the name of the Government of Haiti. The undersigned have been authorized to receive and deposit in the said account the funds of the Government of Haiti and to issue checks and drafts in the name of the Government of Haiti. The undersigned have been authorized to receive and deposit in the said account the funds of the Government of Haiti and to issue checks and drafts in the name of the Government of Haiti.

Respectfully,
Very truly,
Yours,
[Signature]

C. P. R.
MAY -9 1947

A i r M a i l
May 7th, 1947.

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti,
Port-au-Prince,
Haiti.

Attention: Commercial Department

Gentlemen:

✓ We have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter C-11-8 of the 2nd instant, informing us of the receipt of eight cases containing 400,000 5 Gourdes notes. We regret exceedingly that you are displeased with the color of the signatures on these notes, and, as requested, we beg to give you the following explanation:

✓ For the reasons which you advanced in your letter of February 20, 1946, and as a result of the contents of our reply of February 26, 1946, you authorized us in your letter C-11-8 of April 11, 1946, to engrave the respective signatures in the plates of the 1 and 2 Gourdes notes. As a result, the notes and the signatures were printed from the same plates in a single operation and, necessarily, in the same color, i.e., brown for the 1 Gourde and blue for the 2 Gourdes notes.

When you gave us the order for the 5 Gourdes notes, you indicated that they were needed urgently. Consequently, and as you were now familiar with the practice of engraving the signatures in the plate, we wrote you on November 18th, 1946, that the respective "signatures will be engraved as on the last orders for 1 and 2 Gourdes notes".

Not having heard anything to the contrary from you on this subject, we proceeded with the preparation of the plates accordingly. This is why the signatures on the 5 Gourdes notes are in the color of the notes themselves. We may mention that this has been customary also in the case of many other countries.

However, should you prefer in the future to have the signatures printed instead of engraved you may be sure of our fullest cooperation.

With our distinguished consideration, we are,

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

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Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Correspondants à l'Etranger—National City Bank of New York

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI

AIR MAIL

PORT-AU-PRINCE, May 16, 1947

REFERENCE C-11-8

American Bank Note Company,
70, Broad Street,
New York 4, New York.

Gentlemen:-

We thank you for your letter of May 7th explaining that since the signatures to the brown ones and the blue two's were in these respective colours, and we made no objection, you naturally concluded that red would logically be the colour in the red fives signatures.

We must admit that the significance of the change in signature colour to brown and blue did not strike us at the time of receipt and it was only when the red signatures arrived that we realized that the colour black is, after all, the best. We accept full responsibility after studying your letter, for the misunderstanding.

However, as suggested, in the penultimate paragraph of your letter, we have decided to give you standing instructions that for all future orders, unless expressly stipulated to the contrary when we place our order, the signatures to the bills are always to be printed in black and not engraved in the colour of the bill, no matter what the denomination of the bill may be.

We take pleasure in enclosing herewith our bank-draft for \$6,644.06 in settlement of your bill dated April 4th.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAITI
COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

A. J. Macdonald,
Comptroller.

C. E. van Waterschoodt,
Vice Président & Manager.

No enclosure for filing

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A.B.N.CO.



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MAY 20 1947

C.P.R.
MAY 21 1947

DUPLICATE SENT

Air Mail
May 21, 1947.

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti,
Port-au-Prince, Haiti .

Attention: Commercial Department

Gentlemen:

✓ We beg to confirm receipt of your letter C-11-8 dated the 16th instant, together with your bank-draft \$6,644.06 in settlement of our bill of April 4th. Please accept our thanks.

We have taken good note of your wishes that in the case of future orders, regardless of the denomination in question, and unless expressly stipulated otherwise, the signatures are to be typed in black, instead of engraved in the plate. Of course, we shall be glad to comply.

With our distinguished consideration, we are

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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May 21, 1947

Order Department:

*C.F.R.
MAY 23 1947*
Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

(Memorandum to be placed in above bank note
order packet)

On future orders, regardless of the denomination involved,
and unless expressly stipulated otherwise, the signatures will be typed
in black and not engraved in the plates.

Above is in accordance with the Bank's letter dated May 16, 1947. ✓

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REP. D'HAITI

E. W. R.
FEB - 3 1949

May 26, 1947

Their Letter-Order covering Bank Notes.... Filed in pkt
Customer's Orders

May 29, 1947

Mr. A.A. Wittnebel, Manager
Bronx Plant

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti.

✓ 5/26
We are in receipt of an order from the above for a reprint of:

1,000,000 - 1 Gourde notes
500,000 - 2 Gourdes "

in all respects as previously (F12381/2) except that the signatures will be typed in, instead of being engraved in the plates. This, of course, will necessitate transferring of new plates.

We will appreciate it if you will be good enough to give us your promise of delivery at your earliest convenience.

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

AP:iw

Mr. Brant phoned June 24-1947.

1 Gourde 200,000 Oct. 15
500,000 29
300,000 Nov. 12

2 Gourdes Oct. 29 - 20, M.
Nov. 12 - 300 M.

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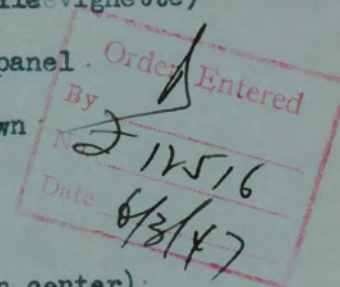
May 29, 1947

Previous order F12381

ORDER FORM

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti.1,000,000 - 1 Gourde Notes (With Citadelle vignette)

Alter face die by removing the signatures in the signature panel.
 Transfer32/1 Gourde note face plate, rotary.
 Dry steel print 31,250 imps. 32/1 Gourde note face in 12 Brown
 Back in 207 Brown.
 Major tint combination No. 728 on face



Type 3 signatures on face, in black, as follows:

Under "Un Administrateur" (on the left) "Un Directeur" (in center)
 W. H. Williams C.E. Van Waterschoot

"Un Administrateur" (on the right)
 "Emmanuel Thézan"

Facsimile signatures are at Plant.

Paper No. 29 Standard Bank Note Scattered Planchette No. 206

D/Nos. in blue, on face: AG000001 to AG1000000 (series change with each 1,000,000 notes)

Cut single and trim to size 4 3/4 x 2 3/8 inches

Band in small bands of 100 notes each; then band in lots of 1000 notes each (10 small bands) with a large band, typed as last.

Wrap in Kraft paper packages of 10,000 notes each, with labels on outside reading as last.

Pack in metal lined wooden cases of 100,000 notes each.

The words: "Made in U.S.A." to be marked on outside of all cases.

AUTHORITY: Letter dated May 26, 1947, ref. (11-8) from above, herewith

Price (to come)

No commission.

Bill to: Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti,
 Port-au-Prince, Haïti.

Mark and consign to: Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti,
 Port-au-Prince, Haïti.

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E. G

Asst. MANAGER FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

May 29, 1947

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT ORDER FORM

Previous order F12382

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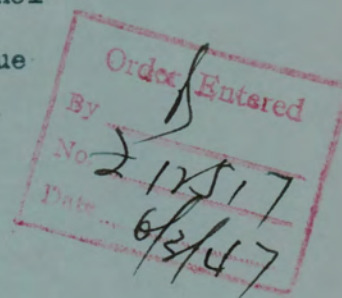
Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

500,000 - 2 Gourdes Notes (With Citadelle vignette)

Alter face die by removing the signatures in the signature panel
Transfer.....32/2 Gourdes notes face plates, rotary
Dry steel print 15,625 imps. 32/2 Gourdes notes, face in 9 Blue

Back in 9 Blue

Major tint combination No.729 on face.



Type 3 signatures on face, in black, as follows:

On left, under "Un Administrateur"
W.H.Williams

In Center, under "Un Directeur"
E. Van Waterschoodt

On right, under "Un Administrateur":
Emmanuel Thézan

Signatures are at Plant

Paper No.29 Standard Bank Note Scattered Planchette No.206

D/Nos.on face, in red: "U000001 to U500000 (series change with each 1,000,000 notes)

Cut single and trim to size 4 3/4 x 2 3/8 inches

Band in small bands of 100 notes each; then band in lots of 1000 notes each
(10 small bands) with a large band, typed as last.

Wrap in Kraft paper packages of 10,000 notes each, with labels reading as last.

Pack in metal lined wooden cases of 100,000 notes each.

The words: "Made in U.S.A." to be marked on outside of all cases.

AUTHORITY: Letter dated May 26, 1947, ref: (-11-8) from above, herewith.

Price: (included in F_____)

Billing and shipping instructions as on F_____ (for 1 Gourde Notes)

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JUN - 2 1947

E. G.

[Red circular stamp]

[Signature]
Asst. MANAGER FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

DUPLICATE SENT

100 P. R.
JUN 15 1947

Air Mail
June 3, 1947.

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti,
Port-au-Prince, Haïti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter No.C-11-8 of May 26th, honoring us with a reprint order for:

1,000,000 notes of One Gourde
500,000 notes of Two Gourdes

Please accept our thanks for this proof of your trust in us.

It gives us pleasure to inform you that our price for the above is \$15,000 U.S.Currency,F.O.B.New York. As you will notice, this is at a slightly higher rate than our previous price, but in our desire to cooperate with you to the fullest we limited the increase to reflect only the advance which occurred in the cost of materials and labor. Thus this price cannot be considered as a guide to our future transactions.

Good note has been taken of your wish to have the signatures on these notes typed in black, and not engraved in the plate as was done in your recent orders.

May we however call your attention to the fact that the numbering indicated by you in the above letter has already been used in your last order and that, therefore, the present numbering should be:

AG000001 to AG1000000 for the One Gourde Notes
U000001 to U500000 for the Two Gourdes Notes

We would be grateful if you will kindly confirm this.

We are now computing the time when we may be able to ship this order and we shall advise you shortly.

Reiterating our appreciation for this new order and awaiting your kind advices, we remain,

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

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Asst.Manager Foreign Department.

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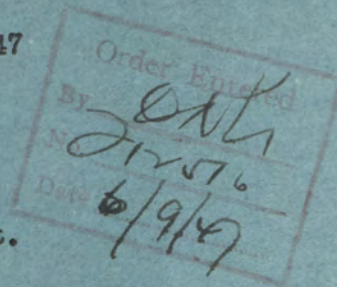
Banque Nationale De La Rep.D'Haiti

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32/1 Gourde Note Face

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W. Deane

E. G.



JUN -6 1947

F 12517

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Order

Banque Nationale De La Rep.D'Haiti

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Order Entered
Date 6/9/47

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32/2 Gourde Note Face

Rot.

*OK
6/6/47*

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JUN -6 1947

E. G.

E. G.



JUN - 6 1947

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JUN - 6 1947

E.O.

[Handwritten signature]

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7/1/47

31/2 Double Note face

Prepare

Banknote National Bank of the Republic

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6/1/47

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

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Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, June 9, 1947

REFERENCE C-11-8

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

JUN 13 1947

ackn. June 24/47/af.

Gentlemen:-

We have received your letter of June 3, quoting a price of \$15,000.- U.S.Cy, F.O.B., New York for 1,000,000 notes of G:1.- and 500,000 notes of Two Gourdes, which price is hereby accepted.

At your previous rate, the price would have been \$14,250.- and we note that the difference is caused by increased cost in materials and in labour.

Concerning the numbering, upon checking our records, we confirm that we are in accord with the numbering:

AG 000 001 to AG 1 000 000 for the One Gourde Notes
U 000 001 to U 500 000 " " Two " "

In a short time, we expect to receive advice of approximate shipping date.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAITI
COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

C. E. van Waterschpodt
C. E. van Waterschpodt,
Vice President & Manager.

C

B.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

June 16, 1947

Order Department:

FILED JUN 17 1947
Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
F12516/7

Order Entered	<i>OK</i>
By	<i>J. H. P.</i>
Date	<i>6/17/47</i>

Please note that the price for the above orders is
\$15,000 U.S. Currency, F.O.B. New York, no commission.

J. H. P.
Asst. Manager Foreign Department

AP:iw

J.H.P.
JUN 16 1947

DUPLICATE SENT

1 C. P. R.
JUN 26 1947

Air Mail
June 24, 1947.

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti,
Port-au-Prince,
Haiti.

Gentlemen:

We beg to thank you for your letter No.C-11-8 of the 9th inst., in which you were good enough to confirm that you are in agreement with the numbering suggested in our letter of the 3rd.

At this time it gives us pleasure to inform you that we expect to begin delivery of the One Gourde notes in mid-October, completing them one month thereafter, and the Two Gourdes notes the end of October, completing them by mid-November.

We will appreciate it if you will kindly give us your shipping instructions in due course.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

AP:iw

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see 10/3

American Bank Note Company
Garrison Ave. & Tiffany St.
New York 59, N.Y.

OFFICE OF THE MANAGER
BRONX PLANT

U.S. P. R.
JUN 26 1947

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June 24, 1947

Mr. G. W. T. Combs
Asst. Mgr. Foreign Department

Dear Sir:

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAITI F 12516 & F 12517

This is in reply to your letter of May 29, 1947 in regard to a reprint of 1,000,000 - 1 Gourde and 500,000 - 2 Gourdes Bank Notes.

We list below delivery dates and quantities for the above Notes which we trust you will find acceptable.

<u>F 12516</u>		<u>F 12517</u>	
October 15, 1947	200,000	October 29, 1947	200,000
29,	500,000	November 12,	<u>300,000</u>
November 12,	<u>300,000</u>		500,000
	1,000,000		

Yours truly,

Ad. Wittnebel

Manager

LVB:hkp

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C. P. 12
JUN 27 1947

DUPLICATE SENT

Air Mail

June 26, 1947

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti

Dear Sirs:-

We beg to advise that we have arranged to ship per the S.S. "IRISH SPLICE", which is scheduled to sail from New York on July 3rd, five (5) cases of 1 Gourde and five (5) cases of 2 Gourdes notes, being a partial shipment of your order, dated October 24, 1946.

As soon as the executed shipping documents have come to hand they will be forwarded to you with our usual letter of advice, giving complete details of the shipment.

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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DUPLICATE SENT

Air Mail

July 11, 1947

C. P. R.
JUL 14 1947

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti

Dear Sirs:-

We beg to advise that we have arranged to ship per the S.S. "COASTAL MESSENGER", scheduled to sail from New York on July 24th, five (5) cases of 1 Gourde notes and five (5) cases of 2 Gourdes, completing your order dated October 24, 1946.

As soon as the executed shipping documents have come to hand they will be forwarded to you with our usual letter of advice, giving complete details of the shipment. Meanwhile, we remain,

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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see 7/31/47

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Form 3811
Rev. 1-4-40

Banque Nationale de la Republique d'Haiti

RETURN RECEIPT

Received from the Postmaster the Registered or Insured Article, the original number of which appears on the face of this Card.

1

(Signature or name of addressee)

2

(Signature of addressee's agent—Agent should enter addressee's name on line ONE above)

Date of delivery

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U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

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PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE TO AVOID PAYMENT OF POSTAGE, \$300

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Union Bank N.Y. & C.

(NAME OF SENDER)

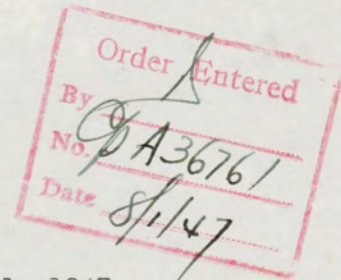
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NEW YORK, N.Y.

NEW YORK.

American Bank Note Company
Garrison Ave. & Tiffany St.
New York 59, N.Y.



C.P.R.
AUG - 4 1947

August 1, 1947

Order Dept.

Mr. G. W. T. Combs
Asst. Mgr. Foreign Department

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAITI F 12516

Please have instructions entered on the above order to
transfer 1 - 32/1 Gourde Face Plate A2, Rotary, and cancel one
of these plates A1 which will not fit major tints.

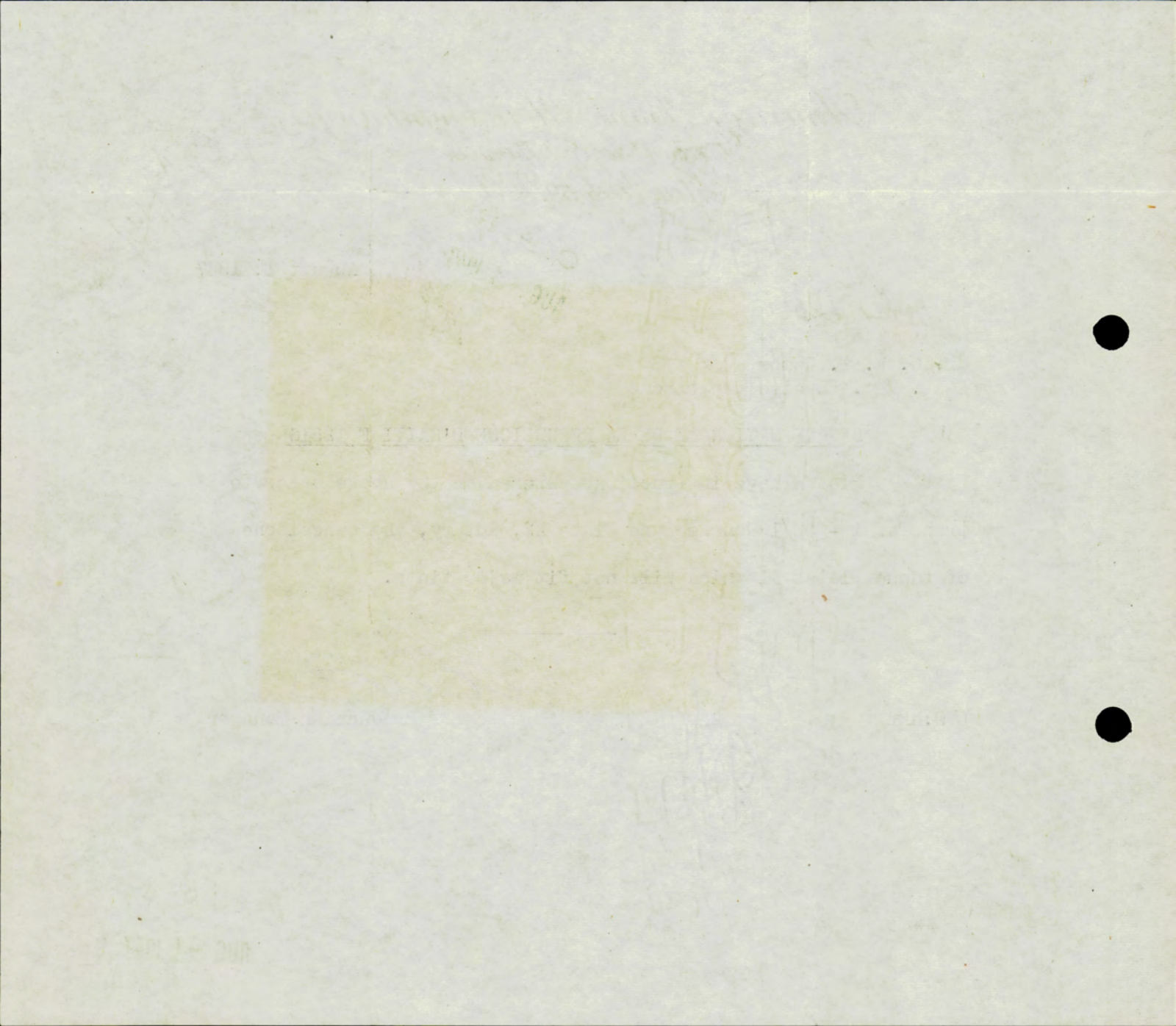
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OK
8/1/47

[Signature]
Production Manager

J.B.P.

AUG - 1 1947



ADVICE OF CANCELLATION.

TITLE **BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAITI**

ORDER NO. **F 12516**

THE FOLLOWING MATERIAL HAS BEEN CANCELLED AND DESTROYED IN MY PRESENCE

ON THIS **7th** DAY OF **August** 1947.

1 - 32/1 Gourde note face plate A1

RECEIVED
AUG 13 1947

[Handwritten signature]
8/13/47

PLATE MAKING

(DEPARTMENT)

J.B.P.

AUG 12 1947

D.B. Copland.

(WITNESS)

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Correspondants à l'Etranger—National City Bank of New York

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

E. W. R.
AUG 13 1947

PORT-AU-PRINCE , August 8, 1947

AIR MAIL

REFERENCE C 11-8

American Bank Note Company,
70, Broad Street, N.Y.

E. F. P.
AUG 12 1947

Gentlemen:-

Our order 24 Oct. 1946

Referring to your letter of July 15th enclosing shipping documents for :

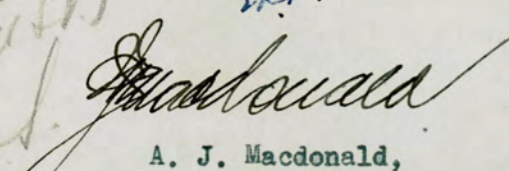
500 000 Notes	1	Gourde	Nos AF 000 001 - AF 500 000
500 000	"	2	" " " T 000 001 - T 500 000

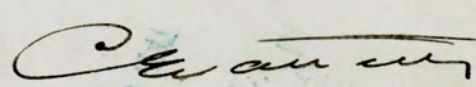
we now advise that the 10 cases Nos 211/220 were opened, as usual, in the presence of Haitian Government Officials and the contents found to be in good order.

In payment of your invoice N 37721 of July 15th we enclose our bank-draft for \$ 9,565.20

Yours very truly,

8-12-47
BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

above Bank draft drawn on Natl. City Bank of N.Y. (N.Y. shall pay) 8-12-47 W.P.S.

A. J. Macdonald,
Comptroller.


C. E. van Waterschoodt,
Vice President & Manager.

rec 8/12

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque des États Unis au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Département de l'Etat au Capital de Cinq Millions

Secours et Agence dans les ports de l'Etat

Comptabilité Générale et Trésorerie Nationale

INSCRIPTION

Le Directeur Général

PORT-AU-PRINCE

Américain Bank Note Company
New York, N.Y.

THE GREAT N. O. CO.

Contract for the purchase of goods

to be delivered to the Government

of the Republic of Haiti

in payment of the invoice

numbered

AUG 12 1947



DUPLICATE SENT

E. W. R.
AUG 13 1947

Air Mail

August 12, 1947

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti

Gentlemen:

We duly received your letter of the 8th instant C-11-8
together with your bank-draft for \$9,565.20 in settlement of our
invoice N37721 of July 15th, covering bank notes we prepared for
your goodselves.

Thanking you for this remittance, we remain,

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Treasurer

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Correspondants à l'Etranger—National City Bank of New York

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

E. W. R.
AUG 27 1947

PORT-AU-PRINCE, August 19, 1947

AIR MAIL

REFERENCE...C-11-8

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York City, N.Y.

E. F. P.
AUG 22 1947

Re: Our order of Oct. 24, 1946

Gentlemen:

Referring to your letter of July 31, 1947 enclosing shipping documents for :

500.000 Notes 1 Gourde Nos. AF 500001 - AF 1000000
500.000 " 2 Gourdes " T 500001 - T 1000000

we now advise that the 10 cases Nos. 221/230 were opened, as usual, in the presence of Haitian Government Officials and the contents found to be in good order.

In payment of your invoice N38001 of July 31, 1947 we enclose our bank draft for \$9,566.50.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

A. M. Herres,
Sub-Manager

C. E. Van Waterschoodt
Vice President & Manager

No enclosure for filing

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
7/31/47

Check drawn on The National City Bank
of New York - 55 Wall St. - New York, N.Y.

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cent Millions de Gourdes

Toutefois le Total est toujours d'un million

Succursales et Agences dans les principales villes d'Haïti

Comptes courants à l'épargne - National - C. de l'Etat - C. de l'Union

Assurance
INCENDIE

Agence Générale de l'Etat Haïtien - C. de l'Etat - C. de l'Union

PORT-AU-PRINCE

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AUG 22 1947



FOREIGN DEPT.
A.B.N.CO.

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DUPLICATE SENT

E. W. R.
AUG 27 1947

Air Mail

August 25, 1947

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti

Dear Sirs:-

✓
We duly received your favor of the 19th instant, reference C-11-8, together with your bank draft, on The National City Bank of New York, to our order, for U.S. \$9,566.50 in settlement of our invoice of July 31st, No. B38001, covering bank notes of 1 Gourde and 2 Gourdes, which we prepared for your goodselves.

Thanking you for this remittance, we remain,

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Treasurer

GWTC:grl

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E. W. R.
OCT 23 1947

Haiti National Bank.
Port-au-Prince, Haiti, Oct. 2 (A.
P.).—President Dumarsais Estime
today inaugurated the new trus-
tees of the National Bank. W. H.
Williams, the former American
director, will become technical
counselor.
10/2/47 N.Y. Sun

E. W. R. 10/3/47
OCT 6 1947

Haiti

F12516 is promised Begin Oct 15 } OK
Comp Nov. 12 }

F12517 is promised Begin Oct. 29 }
Comp Nov. 12 } ←

→ On the r's, Plant would like a
2 weeks deferment, i. e.

Begin Nov. 12.
Comp Nov. 26.

DUPLICATE SENT

A i r m a i l
October 3, 1947.

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti,
Port-au-Prince, Haïti.

E. W. R.
OCT 6 1947

Gentlemen:

With further reference to our letter of June 24th, wherein we informed you about the date when we expected to deliver your present order, we regret to advise you that due to circumstances beyond our control the completion of the 2 Gourdes notes will suffer a delay of two weeks. Consequently, the 1 Gourde notes will be completed, as we said, on November 12th, but the 2 Gourdes notes will not be completed until the 26th of that month.

Reiterating our regret at this occurrence, but trusting that this will not cause you any inconvenience, we are

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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E. W. R.
OCT 27 1947

DUPLICATE SENT

A i r m a i l
October 23, 1947.

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti,
Port-au-Prince, Haïti.

Gentlemen:

We beg to advise that we have arranged to ship per the S.S. "COSTAL VIKING" which is scheduled to sail from New York on October 27th, two (2) cases of 1 Gourde Notes, the same being a partial shipment of your order dated May 26, 1947.

As soon as the executed shipping documents come to hand they will be forwarded to you with our usual letter of advice giving complete details of the shipment.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department.

JDN:iw

see 11/3

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P. O. Box 105 B
Phone: 5197

✓
G. STREITWOLF
PORT - AU - PRINCE
HAITI W. I.
October 30, 1947.

Cable address:
Streitwolf
Codes:
Lieber's
Bentley's

American Banknote Company,
New York City

E. W. R.
NOV 14 1947

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Gentlemen:-

A business friend of mine who lives in the interior of this country, recently had the bad luck to have his home completely inundated by a swelling of the river nearby, caused by torrential rainfalls.

As he always had to have certain amounts of money on hand for his purchases of bananas and coffee, a rather considerable sum in haitian banknotes (Gourdes) was entirely submerged for some time, until it could be retrieved. It was then found out that the money was entirely wet, partly discolored and covered with dirt, carried along by the water.

He dried this money for some days but had to find out that the banknotes which had been in bundles, would break or tear when he tried to peel them off.

As the haitian banknotes are printed by your Company, he suggested that I write you, asking you to kindly let me know if there is some way you might recommend in order to spare him a rather great loss.

I therefore would greatly appreciate your making any suggestions which might enable him to clean the notes, and to allow him to peel them off the packages without being torn into shreds. He says that now that the banknotes are dry, they have become so brittle that a whole package breaks in two, whenever it is not handled with the greatest delicacy.

Thanking you for your co-operation in this matter, and hoping to receive your answer earliest by airmail, I remain,
Gentlemen,

Yours very truly

G. Streitwolf

Per C. Rosen
Presented 11/3/47 by ✓
Mr. Hermann Struller
116 Broad St. N.Y.C.
Bowling Green 9-8864

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(over)

Genevieve
Stallwell
Cody
Lillian
Bentley

G. STREITWOLF
PORT AU PRINCE
HAITI W. I.
October 30, 1947.

P.O. Box 108
Phone 4197

E. W. F.
NOV 14 1947

American Banknote Company,
New York City

General:-

A business friend of mine who lives in the interior of this country, recently had the bad luck to have his home completely inundated by a swelling of the river nearby, caused by torrential rain.

11/10 - Mr. Stuller's letter
As he always had a few certain amounts of money on hand, his loss was not a disaster. He was able to get some of his money out of the water, but he was unable to get the rest. He was very disappointed, as he had hoped we could suggest some way of recovering his money. He dried this money for some days but had to find out that it was not recoverable. He was very sad, as he had lost a great deal of money.

I informed him that we could not do anything to help him. He was very disappointed, but he accepted our suggestion. He was very grateful for our help. He was very sad, as he had lost a great deal of money. He was very disappointed, as he had hoped we could suggest some way of recovering his money. He dried this money for some days but had to find out that it was not recoverable. He was very sad, as he had lost a great deal of money.

Thanking you for your letter, I remain, Yours very truly,
G. Streitwolf

Cable address:
Streitwolf
Codes:
Libert's
Bentley's

G. STREITWOLF
PORT-AU-PRINCE
HAITI W. I.
October 30, 1947.

P. O. Box 102 B
Phone: 2197

F. W. R.
NOV 14 1947

American Banknote Company,
New York City

Gentlemen:-

A business friend of mine who lives in the interior of this country, recently had the bad luck to have his home completely inundated by a swelling of the river nearby, caused by torrential rainfall.

As he always had to have certain amounts of money on hand for his purchases of bananas and coffee, a rather considerable sum in Haitian banknotes was entirely submerged for some time, until it could be retrieved. It was then found that the money was entirely wet, having discolored and covered with dirt, carried along by the water. He dried this money for some days but had to find out that the banknotes which had been in the water, would break or tear when he tried to pass them off.

I informed the American Banknote Company, he suggested that I write you, asking you to kindly let me know if there is any way you might recommend in order to spare him a rather great loss. I therefore would greatly appreciate your making any suggestions which might enable him to clear the notes, and to allow him to pass them off the packages without being torn into shreds. He says that now that the banknotes are dry, they have become so brittle that a whole package breaks in two, whenever it is not handled with the greatest delicacy.

Thanking you for your cooperation in this matter, and hoping to receive your answer earliest by airmail, I remain,
Gentlemen,
Yours very truly

G. Streitwolf

Received at 10:15 by
Mr. Hermann
116 Grand St. N.Y.C.
Forwarded Nov 9 - 1947

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DUPLICATE SENT
E. W. R.
NOV 10 1947

A i r m a i l
November 7, 1947.

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti,

Port-au-Prince, Haïti.

Gentlemen:

We beg to advise that we have arranged to ship per the S.S. "IRISH SPLICE" which is scheduled to sail from New York on November 14th, eight (8) cases of 1 Gourde and five (5) cases of 2 Gourdes Notes, completing your order dated May 26, 1947.

As soon as the executed shipping documents come to hand they will be forwarded to you with our usual letter of advice giving complete details of the shipment.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department.

JDN:iw

see 11/20/47

File

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Correspondants à l'Etranger—National City Bank of New York

Adresse Télégraphique :

INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, December 20, 1947

REFERENCE.....

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

C.P.R.

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E. F. P.
DEC 22 1947

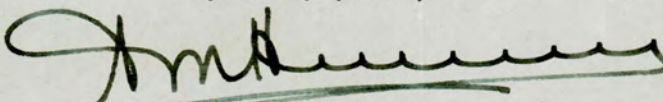
Gentlemen:

Att : Mr. G. W. I. Combs,
Asst. Manager Foreign Dept.

We duly received the thirteen cases of gourde notes referred to in your letter of November 20th, which represent the final shipment of our order dated March 26, 1947.

Pressure of work during the current month has prevented us from making the usual verification of these notes. We expect to accomplish this during the first fortnight in January and as soon as this formality has been completed, we shall be pleased to forward you our remittance in cover of your invoice of November 20th, 1947.

Very truly yours,



A. M. Herres
Sub-Manager.

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Banknote Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banknote Nationale de la République d'Haïti au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Siège Social et Succursales à Port-au-Prince, Haïti

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Siège Social et Succursales à Port-au-Prince, Haïti

December 20, 1947

PORT AU PRINCE

REFERENCE

DEC 22 1947

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

At: Mr. G. W. I. Dombé,
Asst. Manager Foreign Dept.

Gentlemen:

We only received the thirteen cases of your notes referred to in your letter of November 20th, which represent the final shipment of our order dated March 26, 1947.

Progress of work during the current month has prevented us from making the usual verification of these notes. We expect to accomplish this during the first fortnight in January and as soon as this formality has been completed, we shall be pleased to forward you our remittance in cover of your invoice of November 20th, 1947.

Very truly yours,

L. M. Harris
Sub-manager.



Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

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Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

AIR MAIL

PORT-AU-PRINCE, February 2nd 1948

REFERENCE... C11-8

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street, New York 4,
New York.

C.P.R.

FEB 7 1948

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E. F. P.
FEB - 4 1948

Gentlemen:-

By our letter of December 20 we advised you that there would be an unavoidable delay in opening and controlling the 1,000,000 notes of 1 Gourde, Nos AG 000001 to AG1000000 and the 500,000 notes of 2 Gourdes Nos U000001 to U500000.

The necessary has now been done and the contents, which complete our order of May 26, 1947, have been found correct.

There is enclosed our bank draft # 318 on New York to your order for \$15,249.48 in settlement of your invoice N39650
November 3
Invoice N40031 November 20

\$ 2,033.71 — "1/3
13,215.77 — "1/10
\$15,249.48

*2/5/48
used*

We thank you for accommodating us once again.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

A. J. Macdonald
A. J. Macdonald,
Comptroller.

C. E. van Waterschoodt
C. E. van Waterschoodt,
Vice President & Manager.

No enclosure for filing

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A.B.N. CO.



FEB - 4 1948

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FEB - 4 1948



DUPLICATE SENT

C.P.R.

FEB 7 1948

A i r m a i l
February 5, 1948.

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti,
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Gentlemen:

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of February 2nd,
(Référence C11-8), together with your bank draft #318 on New York, in
our favor, for US\$15,249.48, covering the preparation and forwarding of
1 and 2 Gourdes notes, as per our invoices of November 3rd and November
20th, 1947.

Thanking you for this remittance, we remain

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Treasurer.

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

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Correspondants à l'Etranger—National City Bank of New York

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, March 22, 1948

AIR MAIL

REFERENCE C-12

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York.

C.P.R.
APR 1 1948

Gentlemen:-

In connection with an inspection now being made of this Banque as at close of business March 12 1948, kindly inform the undersigned by Air Mail of all gourde note shipments made to them by you from August 1 1941 to the present date.

It will be appreciated if you will list date of shipment, first serial number, last serial number, denomination, and total for each denomination.

Yours very truly,

Please supply
requested information.

J. H. Ardouin
Comptroller

M. R. Wilkes

M. R. Wilkes,
Examiner.

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département du Commerce

FOREIGN DEPT.
A.B.N.CO.



PORT-AU-PRINCE

MAR 24 1948



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MAR 24 1948

DUPLICATE SENT

A i r m a i l
March 30, 1948.

C.P.R.
APR 1 1948

Mr. M. R. Wilkes, Examiner
Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti,
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the request in your favor of the 22nd, reference C-12, we beg to advise that we have made the following shipments of notes to the Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti, since August 1, 1941:

<u>Notes of 1 Gourde</u>	<u>Invoice date</u>	<u>First serial number</u>	<u>Last serial number</u>
300,000	November 12, 1941	X000001	X 300000
1,700,000	December 3, 1941	X300001	Y1000000
500,000	June 17, 1943	Z000001	Z 500000
1,500,000	July 15, 1943	Z500001	AA1000000
800,000	August 9, 1945	AB000001	AB8000000
1,200,000	August 9, 1945	AB300001	AC1000000
300,000	October 31, 1946	AD000001	AD 300000
300,000	November 15, 1946	AD300001	AD 600000
400,000	November 22, 1946	AD600001	AD1000000
1,000,000	December 26, 1946	AE000001	AE1000000
500,000	July 15, 1947	AF000001	AF 500000
500,000	July 31, 1947	AF500001	AF1000000
200,000	November 3, 1947	AG000001	AG 200000
800,000	November 20, 1947	AG200001	AG1000000
10,000,000			

Notes of 2 Gourdes

1,000,000	April 24, 1942	P000001	P1000000
500,000	June 17, 1943	Q000001	Q 500000
500,000	July 15, 1943	Q500001	Q1000000
300,000	July 9, 1945	R000001	R 300000
700,000	August 9, 1945	R300001	R1000000
300,000	December 13, 1946	S000001	S 300000
700,000	January 17, 1947	S300001	S1000000
500,000	July 15, 1947	T000001	T 500000
500,000	July 31, 1947	T500001	T1000000
500,000	November 20, 1947	U000001	U 500000
5,500,000			

File

Mr. M.R. Wilkes, Examiner
Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

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March 30, 1948.

<u>Notes of 5 Gourdes</u>	<u>Invoice date</u>	<u>First serial number</u>	<u>Last serial number</u>
50,000	April 21, 1942	C700001	C750000
250,000	April 24, 1942	C750001	C1000000
200,000	November 1, 1943	D000001	D 200000
400,000	November 23, 1943	D200001	D 600000
400,000	April 4, 1947	D600001	D1000000
<u>1,300,000</u>			

Notes of 10 Gourdes

50,000	August 13, 1942	B200001	B 250000
50,000	August 27, 1942	B250001	B 300000
200,000	November 1, 1943	B300001	B 500000
<u>300,000</u>			

We trust that you will find the above in accordance with your records
and beg to remain

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department.

JWB:iw

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C.P.R.

APR 1 1948

A i r m a i l
March 30, 1948.

Your reference C-12

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti,
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Attention: Mr. A. J. Macdonald, Comptroller

Gentlemen:

✓
Enclosed please find a copy of our letter of this date addressed to Mr. M. R. Wilkes, pursuant to his request of March 22nd countersigned by you, which we hope will be found in order.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department.

JWB:iw
enc.

File

File: July 28, 1948

F. 12516-7

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Am't of Order:- \$15,000.-

Quantity:- 1,500,000 notes

Date Entered:- 5/29/47

Terms of Payment:- (On arrival each shipment)

Shipping Destination:- F.O.B. N.Y.

Contract Date.

Shipments

No of notes

Date Billed

Am't Billed

Date Paid

700,000

11/3/47

7,000.-

2/5/48

~~1,300,000~~

~~4/4/48~~

33.71

1,300,000

11/10/47

13,000.-

4/5/48

215.77

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, December 7, 1948

AIR MAIL

REFERENCE C. 11-8

Est. a
nom. del. et par
DEC 10 1948
achu. 12.1548/af.

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, N. Y.

FILING
DEC 16 1948

Gentlemen :-

Since our stock of new One-gourde notes will be nearly depleted by August of next year in all probability, we should like you to give us a F.O.B. New-York quotation by early Air Mail for :

1.000.000 notes of One-gourde

no from
advised

There would, in addition to the change in Series to A H 000 001 to A H 1.000.000., require to be a change in the first signature to :

Un Administrateur
G. Margron

Un Directeur
C.E. van Waterschoodt

Un Administrateur
Emmanuel Thézan

which would be typed in black, as was the case with the AG order of May 26, 1947.

We suppose that you would be able to ship by steamer before the beginning of September, but would be glad to have you advise us specifically in this regard.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI

A. J. Macdonald
A. J. Macdonald,
Comptroller

C. E. van Waterschoodt
C. E. van Waterschoodt,
Vice-President & Manager

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la République d'Haïti

Ministère du Commerce

Direction des Douanes et des Régimes Spéciaux

Service des Douanes

Section des Douanes



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December 10, 1948.

Mr. A.A.Wittnebel, Manager

Bronx Plant

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DEC 13 1948

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Previous F12516

We are in receipt of an inquiry for a reprint order for:

1,000,000 - 1 Gourde notes, in all respects as previously,
with the change of one signature (which will be typed), and series letter.

This quantity will be needed to be completed beginning of August
1949. Will you kindly let us know if we can promise this, or better, provided the
order materializes before the end of this year.

Asst. Manager Foreign Department.

AP:iw

File

see 3/23/49

DUPLICATE SENT

A i r M a i l
December 15, 1948.

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti,
Département Commercial,
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

FILING
DEC 16 1948

Gentlemen:

In compliance with your request of the 7th inst. (C.11-8), we are pleased to inform you that our price for the reprint of 1,000,000 - 1 Gourde notes, in all respects as previously, with the exception of a change in one of the signatures and the series letters, is \$10,500.00 U.S. Currency, F.O.B. New York.

This price, as you will see, is at a slightly higher rate than your last valued order of May 1947, and it reflects increased costs. We kept it, however, at the minimum permissible under the circumstances prevailing.

We will appreciate it if, when authorizing us to proceed with the work, you will be good enough to send us the facsimile signature of Mr. Margron.

The numbering indicated by you we find to be correct.

We have taken good note of your wish to have these notes completed prior to September 1949, and please be assured that we shall do everything to accommodate you, though our schedule is extremely heavy. We are at present trying to find a place for this prospective work, on the assumption that we will receive your firm order before the end of this year.

Trusting that we may hear from you and with reiterated assurances of our distinguished consideration, we remain

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department *h.*

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BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REP. D'HAITI

E. W. R.
FEB - 3 1949

December 21, 1948

Their Letter-Order for Bank Notes Filed in pkt
Customer's Orders

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

JWB:pa

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT
ORDER FORM

December 28, 1948

FILING
DEC 29 1948

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti

Order Entered
By <i>C. W.</i>
No. <i>712850</i>
Date <i>12/29/48</i>

Previous Order FL2516

1,000,000 - 1 Gourde Notes (With Citadelle Vignette)

Dry steel print 31,250 imps. 32/1 Gourde notes, face in 12 Brown
back in 207 Brown
Major tint combination No. 728 on face
Type 3 signatures on face in Black as follows:

Under "Un Administrateur (at left)"
G. Margron (Signature herewith in duplicate)
Under "Un Directeur" (in center)
C.E. van Waterschoodt (signature on hand)
Under "Un Administrateur" (at right)
Emmanuel Thezan (signature on hand)

Paper No. 29 Standard Bank Note Scattered Planchette No. 206.
D/nos. on face in Blue AH000001 to AH1000000 (series changes with each
1,000,000 notes).
Cut single and trim to size 4 3/4 x 2 3/8 inches.
Band in small bands of 100 notes each; then band in
lots of 1,000 notes each (10 small bands) with a large band typed as last.
Wrap in Kraft paper packages of 10,000 notes each, with labels on outside
reading as last.
Pack in tin lined wooden cases of 100,000 notes each.
The words "Made in U.S.A." to be marked on the outside of all cases.
Wanted complete by mid-August 1949 at the latest.

Customer's order sheet
Authority: Letter from above dated 12/21/48, herewith.

Price: \$10,500.00 U.S.Cy., F.O.B., N.Y.
No commission

Bill to above.

Mark and consign to above, but if ready for shipment before first steamer in
September consult the bank before shipping.

[Red circular stamp]

[Handwritten signature]
MANAGER FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

DEC 29 1948
C. S. W.

E. W. R.
DEC 30 1948

DUPLICATE SENT

December 28, 1948.

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti,
Port-au-Prince,
Haiti.

Gentlemen:

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of December 21st, placing with us your order for 1,000,000 notes of 1 Gourde, which order is sincerely appreciated and will have our closest attention, as always.

We believe it will be possible to complete the notes for shipment early in September and you can count on our best efforts toward that end. We refrain, however, from making a positive commitment as to the date until we are able to adjust our production schedule to accommodate it. We will communicate with you further when that has been done.

With your letter we also received the two specimens of Mr. Margron's signature which is to replace that of Mr. Williams which previously appeared.

Reiterating our thanks for this order, we remain,

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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-customer's order

see 3/24/49

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American Bank Note Company
Garrison Ave. & Tiffany St.
New York 59, N.Y.

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MAR 28 1949

March 23, 1949

file/er.

Mr. G. W. T. Combs
Asst. Manager, Foreign Dept.

Re: Banque Nationale de la Republique d'Haiti
F 12850

We refer to your letter of December 10, 1948 and the above order number, and in reply we will be able to deliver 500,000 - 1 Gourde notes on June 22, 1949 and 500,000 on July 6, 1949 completing the order.

W. B. Deane
Production Manager

LVB/EM

WF

B.

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A i r m a i l
March 24, 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti,
Port-au-Prince
Haiti.

FILING
MAR 28 1949

Gentlemen:

Further to our letter of December 28, 1948, we beg to advise you that barring unforeseen circumstances beyond our control we expect to have your valued order for 1,000,000 - 1 Gourde notes, ready for shipment the first week in July.

With distinguished consideration, we are

Very truly yours

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department ¹³

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

PORT-AU-PRINCE ,.....April, 28, 1949.....

REFERENCE..C.1178

W.F.C.
MAY -2 1949

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street, New-York 4, N.Y.

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MAY 17 1949

Gentlemen :-

For the sake of good order we have thought it desirable that you should be informed of a peculiar discovery our Head Teller and Assistant-Head Teller have just made.

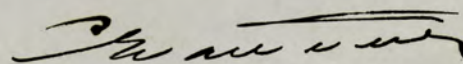
Upon handing out a package of 100 ones from one of your sealed bricks of 10,000 pieces, the recipient upon re-counting claimed there were only 99 bills. Our men upon investigation found the missing number in the adjoining package in the brick. This morning there was a repetition, the package AG 237701 to AG 237800 being found to contain only 99 pieces, while package AG 237801 to AG 237900 consisted of 101 pieces. Apparently, when the bills were being assembled for packaging at your factory, the No. AG 237768 became separated and then was inadvertently slipped into the wrong package.

The bills formed part of your shipment of Novr. 20-1947, your F 12516, our order of May 26-1947.

This is the first time, we have run across this type of error and it is unlikely that we shall find much of it, but we feel you would want to be informed, so that you may be in a position to devise any means you may consider necessary in order to ensure your usual 100 % accuracy.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
Département Commercial



C. E. van Waterschoodt,
Vice-President & Manager

*For info
paper
sent to you
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reply
appropriate*

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Dep. TRESORIER
A.B.N.C.O.
Commercial



INSURANCE

HAÏTI

PORT-AU-PRINCE

REFERENCE

APR - 2 - 1949

W.F.C.

MAY - 2 - 1949



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For the sake of good order, we have thought it desirable that
you should be informed of a peculiar discovery on hand letter and paper
concerning letter have been made.

I am sending out a package of 100 envelopes, one of your letters
which of 1,000 pieces, the results from the counting of these letters were
only 99 letters. When upon investigation found the missing number in the
envelope, which was in the back. This morning there was a revelation, the
package of 1,000 envelopes found to contain only 99 letters, which
package of 1,000 envelopes of 101 letters. The result, then
the difference being explained for packing at your factory, the 100 letters
package separated and then was inadvertently placed into the wrong package.

The bill is sent part of your address of New York, 20-1947, your
order of May 20-1947.

This is the first time we have ever received this type of error
and it is unlikely that we shall find such of it, but we feel you would
be interested to know that we have found the missing number in the
package, which was in the back. This morning there was a revelation, the
package of 1,000 envelopes found to contain only 99 letters, which
package of 1,000 envelopes of 101 letters. The result, then
the difference being explained for packing at your factory, the 100 letters
package separated and then was inadvertently placed into the wrong package.

Yours very truly,

JOHN W. HARRIS, JR.

JOHN W. HARRIS, JR.

JOHN W. HARRIS, JR.

Mr. A.A.Wittnebel, Vice President
Bronx.

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MAY - 4 1949
May 2, 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti

We have received a letter from the above bank, reading as follows:

"For the sake of good order we have thought it desirable that you should be informed of a peculiar discovery our Head Teller and Assistant-Head Teller have just made.

Upon handing out a package of 100 ones from one of your sealed bricks of 10,000 pieces, the recipient upon re-counting claimed there were only 99 bills. Our men upon investigation found the missing number in the adjoining package in the brick. This morning there was a repetition, the package AG 237701 to AG237800 being found to contain only 99 pieces, while package AG 237801 to AG 237900 consisted of 101 pieces. Apparently, when the bills were being assembled for packing at your factory, the No. AG 237768 became separated and then was inadvertently slipped into the wrong package.

The bills formed part of your shipment of Novr. 20-1947, your F12516, our order of May 26-1947.

This is the first time, we have run across this type of error and it is unlikely that we shall find much of it, but we feel you would want to be informed, so that you may be in a position to devise any means you may consider necessary in order to ensure your usual 100% accuracy.

I shall appreciate it if you will investigate this and give me a report, so that I may reply to the bank's letter.

WFC:iw

Vice-President

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American Bank Note Company
Garrison Ave. & Tiffany St.
New York 59, N.Y.
Finishing Department

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MAY 17 1949

May (per Miss Reed)
W.F.C.
MAY 13 1949
April 4, 1949.

SUBJECT:

Misplaced Notes - 1 Gourde
F 12516 - Banque Nationale de la Republique D'Haiti.

Mr. A. A. Wittnebel,
Vice President.

In reference to Mr. W. F. Colclough's letter of May 2, 1949 pertaining to notes over and short within the respective banded units of 100, we report as follows.

Our records have been checked and there is a remote possibility that a full 32/on sheet was misplaced. It is, however, more probable that only one 8/on strip was misplaced.

One 8/on strip from the 32/on sheet, of which full sheet the number in question AG 237768 was a part, was entirely made up. The strip made up did not contain the note in question, but it was the adjacent 8/on strip. It is possible that in checking the error found on the strip containing the notes to be made up, the three other strips of the sheet were removed from their respective units and checked, and in replacing the strip of which the transposed note was a part, the strip was misplaced causing the shortage and overage referred to.

We are attaching charts to indicate the manner of numbering settings on the full sheet and also the position of the note in question and the strip made up.

Numbering was done 32/on, 10,000 numbers apart. If the error occurred in the full 32/on sheet, the following 100 note units will be affected and will contain 99 instead of 100 notes.

Missing Note

AG007701 to AG007800 - AG007768
AG017701 to AG017800 - AG017768
AG027701 to AG027800 - AG027768
AG037701 to AG037800 - AG037768
AG047701 to AG047800 - AG047768
AG057701 to AG057800 - AG057768
AG067701 to AG067800 - AG067768
AG077701 to AG077800 - AG077768
AG087701 to AG087800 - AG087768
AG097701 to AG097800 - AG097768
AG107701 to AG107800 - AG107768
AG117701 to AG117800 - AG117768
AG127701 to AG127800 - AG127768
AG137701 to AG137800 - AG137768
AG147701 to AG147800 - AG147768
AG157701 to AG157800 - AG157768

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	Missing Note
AG167701 to AG167800	- AG167768
AG177701 to AG177800	- AG177768
AG187701 to AG187800	- AG187768
AG197701 to AG197800	- AG197768
AG207701 to AG207800	- AG207768
AG217701 to AG217800	- AG217768
AG227701 to AG227800	- AG227768
AG237701 to AG237800	- AG237768
AG247701 to AG247800	- AG247768
AG257701 to AG257800	- AG257768
AG267701 to AG267800	- AG267768
AG277701 to AG277800	- AG277768
AG287701 to AG287800	- AG287768
AG297701 to AG297800	- AG297768
AG307701 to AG307800	- AG307768
AG317701 to AG317800	- AG317768

On the above basis the following 100 note units will contain one additional note or 101.

	Additional Note
AG007801 to AG007900	- AG007768
AG017801 to AG017900	- AG017768
AG027801 to AG027900	- AG027768
AG037801 to AG037900	- AG037768
AG047801 to AG047900	- AG047768
AG057801 to AG057900	- AG057768
AG067801 to AG067900	- AG067768
AG077801 to AG077900	- AG077768
AG087801 to AG087900	- AG087768
AG097801 to AG098900	- AG097768
AG107801 to AG107900	- AG107768
AG117801 to AG117900	- AG117768
AG127801 to AG127900	- AG127768
AG137801 to AG137900	- AG137768
AG147801 to AG147900	- AG147768
AG157801 to AG157900	- AG157768
AG167801 to AG167900	- AG167768
AG177801 to AG177900	- AG177768
AG187801 to AG187900	- AG187768
AG197801 to AG197900	- AG197768
AG207801 to AG207900	- AG207768
AG217801 to AG217900	- AG217768
AG227801 to AG227900	- AG227768
AG237801 to AG237900	- AG237768
AG247801 to AG247900	- AG247768
AG257801 to AG257900	- AG257768
AG267801 to AG267900	- AG267768
AG277801 to AG277900	- AG277768
AG287801 to AG287900	- AG287768
AG297801 to AG297900	- AG297768
AG307801 to AG307900	- AG307768
AG317801 to AG317900	- AG317768

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If the error occurred in an 8/on strip, which is more likely, the following units would be involved. Shortages would be found in eight units as follows:

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Missing Note

AG167701 to AG167800 - AG167768
AG177701 to AG177800 - AG177768
AG187701 to AG187800 - AG187768
AG197701 to AG197800 - AG197768
AG207701 to AG207800 - AG207768
AG217701 to AG217800 - AG217768
AG227701 to AG227800 - AG227768
AG237701 to AG237800 - AG237768

The following units would each have one extra note .

Additional Note

AG167801 to AG167900 - AG167768
AG177801 to AG177900 - AG177768
AG187801 to AG187900 - AG187768
AG197801 to AG197900 - AG197768
AG207801 to AG207900 - AG207768
AG217801 to AG217900 - AG217768
AG227801 to AG227900 - AG227768
AG237801 to AG237900 - AG237768

The attached chart indicates the numbers as printed on the sheet of which the note in question was a part.

The number boxed in red is the note reported misplaced. The numbers blocked in blue indicate the part of sheet which was made up.

As there is no indication as to the particular part in our operation when this error took place, we cannot place the responsibility on any specific individual or group of employees.

The notes in question were part of a delivery of 800,000 - 1 Gourde notes shipped in case number 233 on November 11, 1947, our Order F12516.

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AG007768	AG087768	AG167768	AG247768
AG017768	AG097768	AG177768	AG257768
AG027768	AG107768	AG187768	AG267768
AG037768	AG117768	AG197768	AG277768
AG047768	AG127768	AG207768	AG287768
AG057768	AG137768	AG217768	AG297768
AG067768	AG147768	AG227768	AG307768
AG077768	AG157768	AG237768	AG317768

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Setting of numbers on sheet of which note numbered AG237768 (boxed in red) was a part.
Numbers boxed in blue represent notes of entire 8/on strip which was made up.

F12516 Banque Nationale de la Republique D'Haiti - 32/1.

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American Bank Note Company
Garrison Ave. & Tiffany St.
New York 59, N.Y.

OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT
BRONX PLANT

May 12, 1949.

W.F.C.
MAY 13 1949

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MAY 17 1949

Mr. W. F. Colclough,
Vice President.

Re: Banque Nationale de la Republique d' Haiti
(1 Gourde Notes)

✓
Replying to your letter of the 2nd instant, relative to the misplacement of note No. AG 237 768, causing a shortage in one pack of notes and a corresponding overage in another pack, our records show that the note in question was numbered as part of a full 32/on sheet. The lay-out of this sheet consists of four vertical rows or strips of eight notes each. After the full sheet is numbered it is subsequently cut into four vertical strips each of eight notes. This is done to facilitate the final examination of numbers. Obviously each of these four strips becomes a part of four separate units each consisting of 1,000 eight on strips.

In attempting to explain how the transposition occurred we must resort to a presumption of what was done. This presumption, however, is based on normal practice. Our numbering records disclose that we had a make-up of one of the four 8/on strips in this unit. While this strip did not contain the note that was reported as misplaced, it was part of the same 32/on sheet. The defective condition that prompted the make-up was undoubtedly of a nature that required our rechecking the three other 8/on strips, each strip being in separate units of 1000 strips. Unfortunately, after rechecking these three other 8/on strips one of them was misplaced. This would result in having eight packages supposedly of 100 notes each with a shortage of one note and eight other packages with an overage of one note. If you deem it advisable to notify the bank of the 16 packages that would be involved you can find this information on the third page of Mr. Holland's ~~#~~report which is being enclosed.

You will also notice from Mr. Holland's report that he mentions of a remote possibility that the misplacement may have involved the full 32/on sheet prior to it being cut into four separate 8/on strips. Such an occurrence would affect sixty-four different packages of 100 notes, 32 packages with a shortage of one note in each package and 32 packages with an overage of one

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Mr. W. F. Colclough- - - - - - - - - - -5/12/49

note in each package. Mr. Holland's report also identifies the 64 packages that might have been so involved.

It is our opinion, however, that the transposition involved one strip of 8/on notes.

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Adi Wittnebel

Vice President.

AAW.LJS

enc.1 rpt. -filed under date: May 4th.

May 13, 1949

Mr. A.A. Wittnebel
Vice President,
Bronx.

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Thank you for your report of May 12th and the report of
Mr. Holland ^(May) (April 4th) enclosed therewith, on the basis of which
I have replied to the Bank's inquiry.

Vice-President

WFC:iw

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A i r m a i l
May 13, 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince
Haïti.

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MAY 17 1949

Gentlemen:

Following receipt of your letter of April 28th (Reference C.11-8), advising us of two instances of the transposition of a 1-Gourde note from one package to another, one of such notes being No. AG 237768, we have made a careful check of our records in an effort to determine the manner in which they occurred.

From our investigation, it appears that the transposition took place in the course of examination of the notes. As you are no doubt aware, our notes undergo careful scrutiny at various stages of manufacture, in order to eliminate any that may be defective. In the process, it occasionally happens that notes may be replaced in the wrong position after examination. While we make every effort to prevent such occurrences, the human factor involved makes it difficult to eliminate them entirely.

On the basis of our investigation, it also appears possible that the erroneous replacement which caused the transposition of note No. AG 237768 may have resulted in a similar transposition of seven other notes, as follows:

Packages containing 99 Notes

Missing Note

AG167701 to AG167800 - AG167768
AG177701 to AG177800 - AG177768
AG187701 to AG187800 - AG187768
AG197701 to AG197800 - AG197768
AG207701 to AG207800 - AG207768
AG217701 to AG217800 - AG217768
AG227701 to AG227800 - AG227768

Packages containing 101 Notes

Additional Note

AG167801 to AG167900 - AG167768
AG177801 to AG177900 - AG177768
AG187801 to AG187900 - AG187768
AG197801 to AG197900 - AG197768
AG207801 to AG207900 - AG207768
AG217801 to AG217900 - AG217768
AG227801 to AG227900 - AG227768

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti

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MAY 17 1949

May 13, 1949

You will no doubt wish to examine any of these packages that may still be in your possession.

We appreciate your calling this matter to our attention and regret any inconvenience that you may have been caused. In the event that you should discover any similar cases, we trust that you will advise us, in order to assist us in eliminating such occurrences so far as possible.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Vice-President

wfc:iw

File

A i r M a i l
June 28, 1949

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JUN 29 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti,
Port-au-Prince,
Haïti.

Gentlemen:

We beg to advise that we have arranged to ship per the S.S.
"GATUN", which is scheduled to sail from New York on July 1st, five (5)
cases of 1 Gourde Notes, being a partial shipment of your order dated
December 21st, 1948.

As soon as the executed shipping documents come to hand they
will be forwarded to you with our usual letter of advice giving complete
details of the shipment.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JDN:pa (not on orig.)

File

E. W. R.
JUL 14 1949

DUPLICATE SENT

A i r M a i l
July 12, 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti,
Port-au-Prince,
Haiti.

Gentlemen:

We beg to advise that we have arranged to ship per the S.S.
"GRANADA", which is scheduled to sail from New York on July 15th, five (5)
cases of 1 Gourde Notes, being the final shipment against your order dated
December 21, 1948.

As soon as the executed shipping documents come to hand they will
be forwarded to you with our usual letter of advice giving complete details
of the shipment.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JJG:pa (not on orig.)

File

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, July 23rd, 1949

AIR MAIL

REFERENCE C-11-8

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New-York 4, New-York.

Gentlemen :-

Referring to your letter of July 7th. advising shipment
of 5 cases containing :

500,000 Notes, 1 Gourde, Nos. AH000001-AH500000

we thank you for prompt despatch and now confirm that the cases
have been opened and controlled in the presence of officials de-
signated by the Haitian Government and the contents have been
found correct.

There is enclosed our bank draft # 19523 on New-York
to your order for \$5,344.02 in settlement of your invoice No. N.
50874 of July 7.

The second 5 cases comprising the balance of our order
have been received yesterday and will be opened and handled in the
usual way shortly.

Yours very truly,

No enclosure for filing

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
DEPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL

J. Macdonald
Comptroller

Am. M. M. M.
Vice-President & Co-Manager

7/27/49

DUPLICATE SENT

FILING
JUL 28 1949

A i r m a i l
July 27, 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of July
23rd(Reference C-11-8), together with your bank draft #19523 on New
York, to our order for U.S.\$5,344.02, in settlement of our invoice
of July 7, 1949.

Thanking you for this remittance, we remain

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Treasurer

iw(not on orig)

File

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haiti

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, August 5, 1949

AIR MAIL

REFERENCE C-11-8

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New-York 4, New-York.

Gentlemen :-

Referring to your letter of July 19th. advising shipment
of 5 cases containing :

500,000 Notes, 1 Gourde, Nos. AH500001-AH1000000

we thank you for prompt despatch and now confirm that the cases have
been opened and controlled in the presence of officials designated
by the Haitian Government and the contents have been found correct.

There is enclosed our bank draft # 20042 on New-York to
your order for \$5,344.95 in settlement of your invoice No.N.51119
of July 19.

8-9-49
Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAITI
DEPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL

Macdougal
Comptroller

[Signature]
Vice-President & Co-Manager

No enclosure for filing

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinquante Millions de Gourdes

Treasury of the State of Haiti and Bank of the Republic

Representative of Agencies and Banks in the Republic of Haiti

2500,000 Notes, 100,000, 50,000, 25,000, 10,000, 5,000, 1,000, 500, 250, 100, 50, 25, 10, 5, 2, 1, 0.50, 0.25, 0.10, 0.05, 0.02, 0.01

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
NEW YORK, N.Y.

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haïti, 25-10-1943

100,000

E. F. P.
Aug - 8 1943

American Bank Note Company
70 Broad Street
New York 4, New York

Reference is made to your letter of July 1943, advising the
of 5 cases containing:

500,000 Notes, 100,000, 50,000, 25,000, 10,000, 5,000, 1,000, 500, 250, 100, 50, 25, 10, 5, 2, 1, 0.50, 0.25, 0.10, 0.05, 0.02, 0.01

We thank you for prompt despatch and now confirm that the cases have
been opened and contents in the presence of officials designated
by the Haitian Government, and the contents have been found correct.

It is noted that the cases were opened on July 19, 1943, and the
contents were found correct. It is in settlement of your invoice of July 19, 1943.

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
100,000, 50,000, 25,000, 10,000, 5,000, 1,000, 500, 250, 100, 50, 25, 10, 5, 2, 1, 0.50, 0.25, 0.10, 0.05, 0.02, 0.01
AUG - 8 1943



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E. W. R.
AUG 10 1949

A i r m a i l
August 9, 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of August 5th,
(Reference C-11-8), together with your bank draft #20042 on New York,
to our order and in the sum of U.S.\$5,344.95, in settlement of our in-
voice of July 19, 1949.

Thanking you for this remittance, we remain

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Treasurer

iw(not on orig)

File

Order No. F-12850

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI

Amount:-

10,500.-

Quantity:-

1,000,000 NOTES

Date Entered:-

12/29/48

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AUG 17 1949

A. J. M.

AUG 16 1949

Terms of Payment:- ARRIVAL OF EACH SHIPMENT

Shipping Quotation:- F.O.B. - New York

Contract Date:-

Shipments

<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Date Billed</u>	<u>Amt. Billed</u>	<u>Date Paid</u>
500,000	7/7/49 7/2/49	S. Y 50.- SE 94.0Y	7/27/49
500,000	7/19/49	S Y 50 SE 94.95	8/9/49

Completed

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

PORT-AU-PRINCE,October 10, 1949.....

AIR MAIL

REFERENCE: C-11-8

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New-York 4, N.Y.

FILING
OCT 20 1949

A. I. S.
OCT 13 1949

Gentlemen :-

As our stock of Five-gourde notes and ten-gourde notes is near the point where a new order becomes necessary, we should like you to give us your best F.O.B. New-York quotation by early Air Mail for :-

400,000 notes of Five gourdes - *Prov. F12396 (a)*
200,000 " " Ten " " *F11481 (b)*

The serial-numbers for the Five's would be E000001 to E400000 and for the Ten's B500,001 to B700,000 while the signatures, all different from those in force when you last supplied these denominations, would be :

Un Administrateur
G. Margron

Un Directeur
A. M. Herres

Un Administrateur
Emmanuel Thézan

The first and third are on file with you while the usual cards would be sent you in due course for Mr. Herres. The signature would be typed in black.

It would be appreciated if you would also let us know the earliest date when shipment could begin.

It is also possible we may shortly require to renew our stock of One's and Two's; we request that you kindly give us your best F.O.B. New-York quotation for 2,000,000 notes of One gourde and 1,000,000 notes of Two gourdes. What is the earliest delivery date you could give us in event order is placed with you during the next 60 days?

Prov. F12850 (c)
Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
DEPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL

[Signature]
Comptroller

[Signature]
Vice-President & Co-Manager

(a) Remove sigs. from plate
(b) Change 1 sig title
(c) No change

(see 11-4-49 customer's order packet)

FOREIGN DEPT.
A.B.N.CO.



OCT 13 1949

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October 14, 1949

Mr. A.A. Wittnebel, Vice-President
Bronx Plant

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OCT 18 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti

Will you please let us know how soon we could begin and complete an order in prospect from the above for:

400,000	notes	-	5	Gourde	-	Prev.	FL2396
200,000	"	-	10	"	-	"	FL1481

The fives will have to be changed by removing the three signatures from the face, which signatures will have to be typed in Black.

The tens will have to be changed by substituting the signature title "Un Administrateur" for that now appearing at the right of the face.

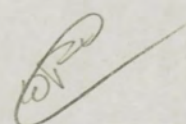
In addition to the above, which they apparently need with some urgency and which they will apparently order promptly, they are inquiring what delivery we could promise on:

2,000,000	notes	-	1	Gourde	-	Prev.	FL2850
1,000,000	"	-	2	"	-	"	FL2517

if ordered in the next two months. These latter two denominations would be straight reprints.

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JWB:pa



File

American Bank Note Company
Garrison Ave. & Tiffany St.
New York 59, N.Y.

OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT
BRONX PLANT

October 19, 1949

File

Mr. G. W. T. Combs
Asst. Manager, Foreign Dept

FILING
OCT 20 1949

Re: Banque Nationale de la Republique d'Haiti

We refer to your inquiry of October 14, 1949 for a delivery promise on bank notes.

On an order for 400,000 - 5 Gourde notes and 200,000 - 10 Gourde notes, we can begin delivery after receipt of order in approximately 3 months and complete in 1 month additional on each of the denominations. This promise is based on the engraving of new face plates.

On a straight reprint of 2,000,000 - 1 Gourde notes, we can begin delivery in 2 months and complete in 2 additional months after receipt of order.

On a straight reprint order for 1,000,000 - 2 Gourde notes, we can begin delivery in 2 months and complete in 1 additional month after receipt of order.

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Vice President.

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OCT 20 1949

DUPLICATE SENT
Air Mail
October 19, 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti,
Port-au-Prince,
Haiti.

FILING
OCT 20 1949

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

Responding to your letter of the 10th, Reference C.11.8, we beg to advise that for furnishing:

400,000 notes of 5 Gourdes, and
200,000 " " 10 "

our price is \$11,700.00 U.S. Currency, F.O.B. New York. This includes the removal of the signatures from the plate of the fives and changing, on the tens, the signature title which previously read "Pour Controle la Commissaire du Gouv't. pres la Banque", the signatures to be typed in Black in both cases. *le*

We believe we could have a part of these 600,000 notes ready for shipment within four months after receipt of order, completing the whole quantity about a month later. We would, of course, endeavor to improve upon this once the work is in hand.

As to your second query, for furnishing:

2,000,000 notes of 1 Gourde, and
1,000,000 " " 2 Gourdes

to be in all respects as last except for the numbering, our price is \$30,500.00 U.S. Currency, F.O.B. New York, which price we will hold good for 60 days, as requested. As there are no changes required in the plates for these two values we believe it will be possible to have a part of the quantity ready for shipment in about three months, completing the entire 3,000,000 about two months later, subject, as always, to causes of delay beyond our control.

We welcome this further opportunity to be of service and look forward with anticipation to your further instructions.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

JWB:pa (not on orig.)

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Asst. Manager Foreign Department
see 11/17/49

BANQUE NATIONALE de la REP. d'HAITI

November 4, 1949

Their Letter-Order for Bank Notes filed in packet:
Customer's Orders

FILING
NOV 17 1949

DUPLICATE SENT

November 14, 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti,
Port-au-Prince, Haïti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

We have the pleasure of acknowledging receipt of your letter of the 4th, reference C11-8, and wish to thank you for the order placed with us therein.

With your letter we also received the specimen signatures of Messrs. Herres and Aimé, the former to appear on the notes of 5 and 10 Gourdes and the latter to appear on the 1's and 2's. Your instructions relative to the various signatures to appear on the respective denominations will have our attention.

We find the numbering as given in your letter is in agreement with our records and we are proceeding accordingly.

You may rely on our best efforts, as always, to hasten completion as much as possible and with reiterated thanks, we remain,

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JWB:pa

Customer's original (p. 1)

File

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

ORDER FORM

Order Entered JWB:pa

No. 712560 November 14, 1949

Date 11/14/49

FILING
NOV 18 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti

Previous order FL2850

2,000,000 - 1 Gourde Notes (with Citadelle vignette)

Dry steel print 62,500 imps. 32/1 Gourde notes, face in 12 Brown, back in 207 Brown.
Major tint combination No. 728 on face.
Type 3 signatures on face, in Black, as follows:

G. Margron as "Un Administrateur", at left (Sig. on hand)
C.F. Aimé as "Un Directeur", in center (Sig. herewith)
Emmanuel Thézan as "Un Administrateur", at right (Sig. on hand).

Paper No. 29 Standard Bank Note Scattered Planchette No. 206
D/nos. on face in Blue AJ000001 to AJ1000000
AK000001 to AK1000000
(omitting letter I).

(Series changes with each 1,000,000 notes)

Cut single and trim to size 4-3/4 x 2-3/8 inches.
Band in small bands of 100 notes each, then band in lots of 1000 notes (10 small bands) with a large band typed as last.

Wrap in Kraft paper packages of 10,000 notes each with labels on outside reading as last.

Pack in tin lined wooden cases of 100,000 notes each.

Delivery: Begin in two months and complete in two months additional.

Authority: Letter 11/4/49 from the bank.

Price: See correspondence

Bill to above.

Mark and consign to above.

The words "Made in U.S.A." must also be marked on the outside of each case.

C.S.W.
NOV 15 1949

C. S. W.
MANAGER FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT
ORDER FORM

FILING
NOV 18 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti

No. 212981 November 14, 1949
Date 11/14/49

Previous order FL2517

1,000,000 - 2 Gourde Notes (with Citadelle vignette)

Dry steel print 31,250 imps. 32/2 Gourdes notes, face in 9 Blue, back in 9 Blue.

Major tint combination No. 729 on face

Type 3 signatures on face, in Black, as follows:

G. Margron as "Un Administrateur" at left (Sig. on hand)

C.F. Aimé as "Un Directeur" in center (Sig. herewith)

Emmanuel Thézan as "Un Administrateur" at right (Sig. on hand)

Paper No. 29 Standard Bank Note Scattered Planchette No. 206.

D/nos. on face in Red U500001 to U1000000

V000001 to V500000

(Series changes with each 1,000,000 notes)

Cut single and trim to size 4-3/4 x 2-3/8 inches.

Band in small bands of 100 notes each, then band in lots of 1000 notes
(10 small bands) with a large band typed as last.

Wrap in Kraft paper packages of 10,000 notes each with labels reading as last.

Pack in tin lined wooden cases of 100,000 notes each.

Delivery: Begin in two months and complete in 1 month additional.

Authority: Letter 11/4/49 from the Bank.

Price: See correspondence

Bill to above.

Mark and consign to above.

The words "Made in U.S.A." must also be marked on the outside of each case.

C. S. W.

NOV 15 1949

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C. S. W.
MANAGER FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT
ORDER FORM

Order Entered
No. 51242
Date 11/15/49

JWB:pa

November 14, 1949

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti

Previous order F12396

400,000 - 5 Gourdes Notes

Prepare lay down face die removing all three signatures.

Transfer 21/5 Gourdes note face plate, rotary.

Dry steel print 19,047-13/21, imps. 21/5 Gourdes notes, face in 1-Pl6 Red
1-64 orange

back in 1-Pl6Red

1-64 orange

Major tint combination No. 730 on face

Type 3 signatures on face, in Black, as follows:

G. Margron as "Un Administrateur" at left (Sig. on hand)

A.M. Herres as "Un Directeur" in center (Sig. herewith)

Emmanuel Thézan as "Un Administrateur" at right (Sig. on hand)

Paper No. 29 Standard Bank Note Scattered Planchette No. 206.

D/nos. on face in Blue E000001 to E400000 (Series changes with each 1,000,000 notes)

Cut single and trim to size 6-5/16 x 2-11/16 inches.

Band in small bands of 100 notes each, then band in lots of 1000 notes (10 small bands) with a large band typed as last.

Wrap in Kraft paper packages of 10,000 notes each with labels reading as last.

Pack in tin lined wooden cases of 50,000 notes each.

Delivery: Begin in about 3 months and complete 1 month later.

Authority: Letter 11/4/49 from the Bank.

Bill to above.

Price: See correspondence

Mark and consign to above.

The words "Made in U.S.A." must also be marked on the outside of each case.

C. S. W.

NOV 15 1949

[Signature]
MANAGER FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT
ORDER FORM

JWB:pa

November 14, 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti

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NOV 18 1949

Previous order F11481

200,000 - 10 Gourdes Notes

Alter face die by changing signature title at right to read "Un Administrateur".
Transfer 21/10 Gourdes note face plate, rotary:
Dry steel print 9523-17/21 imps. 21/10 Gourdes notes, face in 42 Green
back in 42 Green.
Major tint combination No. 731 on face
Type 3 signatures on face, in Black, as follows:

G. Margron as "Un Administrateur" at left (Sig. on hand)
A. M. Herres as "Un Directeur" in center (Sig. herewith)
Emmanuel Thézan as "Un Administrateur" at right (Sig. on hand)

Paper No. 29 Standard Bank Note Scattered Planchette No. 206.
D/nos. on face in Red B500001 to B700000 (Series changes with each 1,000,000 notes)
Cut single and trim to size 6-5/16 x 2-11/16 inches.
Band in small bands of 100 notes each, then band in lots of 1000 notes each
(10 small bands) with a large band typed as last.
Wrap in Kraft paper packages of 10,000 notes each with labels reading as last.
Pack in tin lined wooden cases of 50,000 notes each.
Delivery: Begin in about 3 months and complete 1 month later.

Authority: Letter 11/4/49 from the Bank.

Price: see correspondence

Bill to above.

Mark and consign to above.

The words "Made in U.S.A." must also be marked on the outside of each case.

C. S. W.

NOV 15 1949

MANAGER FOREIGN DEPARTMENT



RCA COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
A SERVICE OF RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA
64 BROAD STREET, N.Y. TEL. HA 2-1811



COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
CORPORATION OF AMERICA
ET, N.Y. TEL. HA 2-1811

W.F.C.
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LC BANKNOTE NEWYORK

REFERRING OUR ORDER NOVEMBER FOURTH MOST URGENTLY IN NEED GOURDE
NOTES STOP PLEASE STUDY POSSIBILITY EFFECTING SHIPMENT OF
ONE HALF OF EACH DENOMINATION ONES TWOS FIVES AND TENS WITHIN
NEXT THIRTY DAYS EVEN IF OVERTIME NECESSARY STOP CABLE IMMEDIATELY
WHAT YOU CAN DO AND ADDITIONAL COST INVOLVED

INSULAIRE

ICFM : LC

1932s - reprint with new-typed signatures
5s - new face plates without signatures
10s - " " " with change of 1 title

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RCA COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
A SERVICE OF RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA
64 BROAD STREET, N.Y. TEL. HA 2-1811



RCA COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
A SERVICE OF RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA
64 BROAD STREET, N.Y.

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NOV 18 1949

FOREIGN DEPT
A.B.N. CO.



WHEN YOU CAN DO SO ADDITIONAL COST INVOLVED
NEXT THIRTY DAYS THIS IS ANOTHER NECESSARY STOP CALLS IMMEDIATELY
ONE HALF OF EACH
NOTES STOP PLEASE STUDY NECESSITY EFFECT OF
RETURNING OUR CREDIT
TO BANK OF NEW YORK
WITH DEPOSITARY

FORM 1 PC

November 16, 1949

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MAR 10 1950

Mr. W. E. Combes, Comptroller

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti

Please be advised that orders have been entered for the above at prices as follows:

Fl2980 - 2,000,000 notes of 1 Gourde
Fl2981 - 1,000,000 " " 2 Gourdes

for which the price is \$30,500.00 U.S.Cy. F.O.B. New York.

Also:

Fl2982 - 400,000 notes of 5 Gourdes
Fl2983 - 200,000 " " 10 "

for which the price is \$11,700.00 U.S.Cy. F.O.B. New York.

No commission is included in either price.

Authority for the order is contained in the bank's letter of November 4, 1949.

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JWB:pa

P.S. Please add to final bill \$225.00 for the cost of overtime employed on the above orders, as per our letter to the Bank of November 17, 1949, and their reply of November 19, 1949.

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FOREIGN		DOMESTIC	
FULL RATE		FULL RATE	
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DEFERRED		SERIAL SERVICE	
RADIO LETTER		NIGHT MESSAGE	
PRESS		NIGHT LETTER	



RADIOGRAM

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TO ALL THE WORLD - BETWEEN IMPORTANT U. S. CITIES - TO SHIPS AT SEA

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INSULAIRE

PORTAUPRINCE (Haiti)

REFERRING YOUR CABLE NOVEMBER FIFTEENTH EXPLORING ALL POSSIBILITIES
AND WILL CABLE REPLY VERY SHORTLY

BANKNOTE

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NOV 18 1949

"Via November 16, 1949

W.F.B.
ack 11/17/49

FULL-RATE MESSAGE UNLESS MARKED OTHERWISE

Sender's Name and Address

(Not to be transmitted)

Form 100-50-TA 23-3

RCA Communications, Inc., normally provides Direct Radiotelegraph Service with the countries listed below.

Argentina	Dominican Republic	Haiti	Panama
Australia	Dutch East Indies	Hawaii	Philippines
Austria	Ecuador	Holland	Poland
Belgian Congo	Egypt	Iceland	Portugal
Belgium	Finland	India	Puerto Rico
Bermuda	France	Iran	St. Pierre-Miquelon
Brazil	French Equatorial Africa	Italy	Spain
Bulgaria	French Indo-China	Japan	Surinam
Chile	French West Africa	Lebanon	Sweden
China	Gambia	Liberia	Switzerland
Colombia	Germany	Martinique	Syria
Cuba	Great Britain	Mexico	Tahiti
Curacao	Greenland	New Caledonia	Turkey
Czechoslovakia	Guatemala	New Zealand	U.S.S.R.
		Norway	Venezuela

To countries where no direct route is available, "Via RCA" offers superior service, since messages are subject to fewer relays.

RADIOGRAM

CLASS OF SERVICE DESIRED	
FOREIGN	DOMESTIC
FULL RATE	FULL RATE
URGENT	DAY LETTER
DEFERRED	NIGHT MESSAGE
RADIO-LETTER	NIGHT LETTER



Via RCA

WORLD
WIDE
WIRELESS

Via RCA



R.C.A. COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

A RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA SUBSIDIARY

NO.	CASH OR CHG.
CHECK	
TIME FILED	

Send the following Radiogram "Via RCA" subject to terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

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NOV 18 1949

November 17, 1949

W.F.B.
Arch 11/17/49

INSULAIRE (National Bank of Haiti)

PORTAUPrince(Haiti)

REFERRING YOUR CABLE NOVEMBER 15th ENDEAVORING HAVE INITIAL QUANTITIES ONE AND TWO DENOMINATIONS READY END DECEMBER AND ONEHALF QUANTITIES ABOUT MIDDLE JANUARY STOP AS YOU KNOW FIVE AND TEN DENOMINATIONS REQUIRE ALTERATION ENGRAVINGS AND NEW PRINTING PLATES BUT WILL ENDEAVOR HAVE INITIAL QUANTITIES ABOUT MIDDLE FEBRUARY COMPLETING QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE STOP USING UNLIMITED OVERTIME BUT CANNOT NOW ESTIMATE COST WHICH WILL KEEP MINIMUM AND SHOULD NOT EXCEED ONETHOUSAND DOLLARS STOP ASSURE YOU OUR FULLEST COOPERATION

BANKNOTE

OK
W.F.B.

see 11/19/49

OFFICES IN NEW YORK CITY

ALWAYS OPEN	64 BROAD STREET	—	HANover 2-1811
8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. (except Sunday)	Produce Exchange	—	BOW. Green 9-2321
	120 Cedar Street	—	REctor 2-1677
	19 Spruce Street	—	BEekman 3-8220
	25 East 17th Street	—	ALgonquin 4-7050
	126 Franklin Street	—	WAlker 5-4891
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	Chrysler Bldg.	—	MURray Hill 2-1891
	102 West 56th Street	—	CIrcle 7-6210
	103 Malden Lane	—	BEekman 3-1924
	30 Rockefeller Plaza	—	CIrcle 7-5525
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10 A.M. to 6 P.M. Sun.			

Radiograms of all classes may be filed at any RCA office.

Overseas and shore-to-ship radiograms via RCA will also be accepted at any office of the Western Union Telegraph Company in the United States. Domestic radiograms to points served by RCA will be accepted at any Western Union office in those cities which are included in the RCA domestic network.

ALL MESSAGES ACCEPTED BY THIS COMPANY ARE SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

To guard against mistakes, the sender of every radiogram should order it repeated; that is, telegraphed back to the originating office for comparison. The additional charge for this service is one-half the ordinary tolls.

Unless otherwise indicated on its face, this is an unrepeated radiogram and paid for as such, in consideration whereof it is agreed between the sender of the message and this company as follows:

1. This Company shall not be liable in any case for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery of any message, beyond its own terminals. In forwarding this message to the stations or over the circuits or lines of any other communications agency this Company is hereby made the agent of the sender without liability for mistakes, neglects or delays of such other communications agency, its agents or servants.

2. The Company shall not be liable for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery, of any message received for transmission at the unrepeated message rate, whether caused by the negligence of its servants or otherwise, beyond the sum of five hundred dollars; nor for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery, of any message received for transmission at the repeated message rate, whether caused by the negligence of its servants or otherwise, beyond the sum of five thousand dollars; nor for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery, of any message received for transmission at the specially valued message rate, whether caused by the negligence of its servants or otherwise, beyond the sum at which such message shall be valued. In writing, by the sender thereof when tendered for transmission and for which payment is made of the amount of the repeated message rate plus an additional charge equal to one-tenth of one per cent of the amount by which such written valuation shall exceed five thousand dollars.

3. The Company shall not be liable in any case for delays arising from unavoidable interruptions in the working of its circuits; nor for delays or errors caused by storms or the action of the elements, or other acts of God, or by civil or military authority, or by insurrections, riots, rebellions, or the unlawful acts of individuals; nor for errors in cipher or obscure messages.

4. No responsibility attaches to this Company concerning messages until the same are accepted at one of its transmitting offices. If a message is sent to such office by messenger, whether supplied by the Company or not, the messenger acts for that purpose as the agent of the sender; if by telephone or by telegraph the person receiving the message acts therein as agent of the sender, and is authorized to assent to these conditions on behalf of the sender.

5. The Company will not be liable for damages or statutory penalties in any case where the claim is not presented in writing within sixty days after the message is filed with the Company for transmission.

6. It is agreed that in any action by the Company to recover the tolls for any message or messages the prompt and correct transmission and delivery thereof shall be presumed, subject to rebuttal by competent evidence.

7. The special terms governing the transmission of the messages classified below shall apply to such messages in addition to the foregoing terms.

8. No employee of the Company is authorized to vary the foregoing terms.

WASHINGTON OFFICE

8:30 A.M. to midnight
9 A.M.-12 Noon & 4-6 P.M. Sun.
1112 Connecticut Ave.
National 2600

BOSTON OFFICE

7:00 A.M. to 11:00 P.M.
109 Congress Street
Liberty 8864

SAN FRANCISCO OFFICES

Always Open
6:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.
(except Sunday)
28 Geary Street
330 California Street
Garfield 4200
Garfield 4200

NEW ORLEANS OFFICE

7 A.M. to 11 P.M.
338 Carondelet Street
Main 1255

CLASSES OF SERVICE

FOREIGN

Full-Rate Radiograms—An expedited service throughout. Plain and Cipher language admitted.

Deferred, Half-Rate Radiograms—Half rate messages are subject to being deferred in favor of full rate messages for not exceeding 24 hours. They must be written in plain language and in one language only. Any language authorized for international telegraphic correspondence may be used. Figure groups must not exceed one-third of the text. Deferred service is available to most countries of the world.

Urgent Rate Radiograms—Take precedence over all other commercial messages. The word "Urgent" should be written as the first word of the address.

CODE Rates—Radiograms in code language are accepted at 60 percent of the Ordinary or Urgent Rates, according to the class of service desired. Code words are limited to five letters. Figure groups may not exceed 50 percent of the total number of words in text and signature.

Radioletters—Radioletters are of two classes, either NLT or DLT, according to whichever class is admitted by the country of destination. NLT are delivered on the morning after the day of filing. DLT are delivered on the morning of the second day after filing. Radioletters must be written in plain language and in one language only. Any language authorized for international telegraphic correspondence may be used. Figure groups must not exceed one-third of the text.

DOMESTIC

Full-Rate Radiograms—An expedited service throughout.

Day Letters—A deferred day service at One and one-half times the standard rate for a 15-word Full Rate message for the transmission of 60 words or less and one-sixth of the initial charge for each additional 10 words or less.

Special Terms Applying to Day Letters:

In further consideration of the reduced rate for this special Day Letter service, the following special terms in addition to those enumerated above are hereby agreed to:

A. Day Letters may be forwarded by the Company as deferred messages and the transmission and delivery of such Day Letters is, in all respects, subordinate to the priority of transmission and delivery of Full Rate Radiograms.

B. This Day Letter is received subject to the express understanding and agreement that the Company does not undertake that a Day Letter shall be delivered on the day of its date absolutely, and at all events; but that the Company's obligation in this respect is subject to the condition that there shall remain sufficient time for the transmission and delivery of such Day Letter on the day of its date during regular office hours, subject to the priority of the transmission of Full Rate Radiograms under the conditions named above.

No employee of the Company is authorized to vary the foregoing conditions.

Serial Service—Individuals or firms may send any number of Serial Messages during any one day to the same person or firm and the words in each message will be accumulated to a daily total and charged at the Day Letter rate plus 20 percent. A minimum of 15 words per serial message will apply. The special terms applicable to Day Letters apply equally to the Serial Service.

Night Messages—Accepted up to 2:00 A.M. at reduced rates to be sent during the night and delivered not earlier than the morning of the ensuing business day. See special conditions below.

Night Letters—Accepted up to 2:00 A.M. for delivery on the morning of the ensuing business day, at rates still lower than standard night message rates, as follows: The Full-Rate Radiogram rate for 15 words shall be charged for the transmission of 60 words or less, and one-sixth of the initial charge for each additional 10 words or less.

Special Terms Applying to Night Messages and Night Letters:

In further consideration of the reduced rates for these special Night Message and Night Letter services, the following special terms in addition to those enumerated above are hereby agreed to:

Night Messages and Night Letters may, at the option of the Company, be mailed at destination to the addressees, and the Company shall be deemed to have discharged its obligation in such cases with respect to delivery by mailing such Night Messages or Night Letters at destination, postage prepaid.

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DUPLICATE SENT

A i r m a i l
November 17, 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince
Haiti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

Your reference C.11.8

We acknowledge receipt of your cable of November 15th, reading as follows:

"Referring our order November 4th most urgently in need Gourde notes. Stop. Please study possibility effecting shipment of one half of each denomination ones twos fives and tens within next thirty days even if overtime necessary. Stop. Cable immediately what you can do and additional cost involved."

and confirm our cables of November 16th and 17th, reading respectively as follows:

"Referring your cable November fifteenth exploring all possibilities and will cable reply very shortly."

"Referring your cable November 15th endeavoring have initial quantities one and two denominations ready end December and onehalf quantities about middle January. Stop. As you know five and ten denominations require alteration engravings and new printing plates but will endeavor have initial quantities about middle February, completing quickly as possible. Stop. Using unlimited overtime but cannot now estimate cost which will keep minimum and should not exceed Onethousand Dollars. Stop. Assure you our fullest cooperation:"

Following receipt of your cable, we explored all the possibilities for effecting a quicker delivery of these notes through the use of overtime, and we are happy to be able to reduce substantially the original delivery times indicated in our letter of October 19th. We sincerely hope that this reduction will meet your emergency needs.

As indicated in our latest cable, we will endeavor to begin deliveries of the One Gourde and Two Gourdes notes at the end of December and to ship one-half the total quantities ordered by about the middle of January.

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

November 17, 1949

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In the case of the 5 Gourdes and 10 Gourdes notes, as you know, it will be necessary to alter the engravings and prepare new printing plates in order to remove the signatures from the plates in the former case and to change one of the signature titles in the latter. These changes, as you will appreciate, lengthen the time required for the completion of the notes. We will endeavor, however, to begin deliveries of these denominations about the middle of February and will complete them as rapidly as possible thereafter.

While we will employ all possible overtime in order to meet your needs, it is impossible to determine at this time how much overtime will be involved or what the additional cost will be. You may be sure, however, that we shall keep the cost as low as possible, and we do not think it will exceed an additional \$1000. We shall advise you of the actual amount as soon as it can be determined.

In view of existing conditions and your probable future needs, we should like to suggest that you give consideration to the placing of an additional order with us at an early date, so that you may be sure of an adequate supply to meet your requirements.

With renewed assurances of our desire to cooperate with you in every way and to serve you to the best of our ability,

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Vice-President

WFC:iw

File

see 2/1/50
see 2/2/50
ship per k.

4540

Banque Nationale de la Republique d'Haiti

November 18, 1949

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NOV 18 1949

F-8469

1 Cancelled Specimen 100 Gourdes Bank Note

(Request of Mr. A. L. Schomp - for transmittal to Mr. Strong)

Send direct to me

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
SHIPPING TICKET

TITLE BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAITI

ORDER NO. F 8469

SHIP TO American Bank Note Company
70 Broad Street

CUST. NO. Req. 4540

VIA Attn. Miss E. Reilly

DATE 11/18/49

QUANTITY SHIPPED

DESCRIPTION

1

100 Gourdes Note

Cancelled Specimen

RETURNED

MAY 31 1955

RECORD AND SPECIMEN DEPT.

TO BE SENT TO
ORDER DEPT. AT BROAD ST.

PARTIAL SHIPMENT

E. W. R.
NOV 18 1949

A. J. S.
NOV 18 1949

25

PLATE SCHEDULE

F 12982

November 18, 1949

Banque Nationale de la Republique D'Haiti

Prepare -

FILING
NOV 22 1949

Order Entered
By <i>OK</i>
No <i>712482</i>
Date <i>11/21/49</i>

1 - 21/5 Gourdes Face

Rotary

OK
11/21/49.

OK
11/21/49

C. S. W.
NOV 21 1949

W. J. Deane



NOV 21 1949

RECEIVED
BOYD

PLATE SCHEDULE

F 12983

November 18, 1949

Banque Nationale de la Republique D'Haiti

Prepare -

1 - 21/10 Gourdes Face

FILING
NOV 22 1949

Rotary

Order Entered	OK
By	OK
No.	212483
Date	11/21/49

OK
11/21/49.

OK
COF

C. S. W.

NOV 21 1949

Al Bout



NOV 21 1949

Foreign Dept

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI.

W.F.C.

PORT-AU-PRINCE, November 19, 1949

NOV 21 1949

REFERENCE: *file*

The American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York City, 4, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

We duly received your cable of the 17th inst. reading as follows:

"REFERRING YOUR CABLE NOVEMBER 15TH ENDEAVORING HAVE INITIAL QUANTITIES ONE AND TWO DENOMINATIONS READY END DECEMBER AND ONEHALF QUANTITIES ABOUT MIDDLE JANUARY STOP AS YOU KNOW FIVE AND TEN DENOMINATIONS REQUIRE ALTERATION ENGRAVINGS AND NEW PRINTING PLATES BUT WILLENDAVOR HAVE INTIAL QUANTITIES ABOUT MIDDLE FEBRUARY COMPLETING QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE STOP USING UNLIMITED OVERTIME BUT CANNOT NOW ESTIMATE COST WHICH WILL KEEP MINIMUM AND SHOULD NOT EXCEED ONETHOUSAND DOLLARS STOP ASSURE YOU OUR FULLEST COOPERATION"

We are appreciative of your efforts in advancing the shipping dates of these bank notes and would thank you to do your best to let us have the first shipment of one and two gourde notes by say December 15th. Our need for these bills is extremely urgent.

Thanking you for your cooperation in this matter, we are,

Very truly yours,

A. M. Herres

A. M. Herres,
Vice-President & Co-Manager

RECEIVED

see 2-1-50
see 2/4/50
(ship part)

FOREIGN DEPT
A.B.N.CO.



NOV 21 1949

RECEIVED
NOV 21 1949



RECEIVED

NOV 21 1949

November 21, 1949

Mr. A.A. Wittnebel
Vice-President
Bronx.

FILING
NOV 22 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti

We have received a letter from the above bank, dated November 19, 1949, reading in part as follows:

"We are appreciative of your efforts in advancing the shipping dates of these bank notes and would thank you to do your best to let us have the first shipment of one and two gourde notes by say December 15th. Our need for these bills is extremely urgent."

If, therefore, it is possible to expedite delivery of these two denominations, I know that the bank will be very appreciative.

I do not seem to have the letter which I understood you were going to send me, confirming the new delivery schedule. Will you please send it to me in due course.

Vice-President

WFC:iw

File

American Bank Note Company
Garrison Ave. & Tiffany St.
New York 59, N.Y.

Foreign Dept

OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT
BRONX PLANT

November 25, 1949

W.F.C.

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NOV 30 1949

file
ack
11-28

Mr. W. F. Colclough, Jr.
Vice President.

Banque Nationale de la Republique d'Haiti
F 12980 - F 12981 - F 12982 - F 12983

In reply to your letter of November 21, 1949 we list below delivery dates and quantities for a total of 3,600,000 notes in four denominations, which we trust you will find acceptable.

F 12980 - 1's

Dec. 29, 1949	- 300,000
Jan. 12, 1950	- 700,000
26,	- 500,000
Feb. 9,	- 500,000
	<u>2,000,000</u>

F 12981 - 2's

Dec. 29, 1949	- 300,000
Jan. 12, 1950	- 300,000
26,	- 300,000
Feb. 9,	- 100,000
	<u>1,000,000</u>

F 12982 - 5's

Jan. 18, 1950	- 200,000
Feb. 1,	- 200,000
	<u>400,000</u>

F 12983 - 10's

Feb. 1, 1950	- 100,000
15,	- 100,000
	<u>200,000</u>

admitted

LVB/EM

Vice President.

Mr. A.A.Wittnebel
Vice President.

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NOV 30 1949

November 28, 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
F12980 - F12981 - F12982 - F12983

Thank you for your letter of November 25th giving us your revised delivery dates on the above .

I am sure the Bank will appreciate this effort to meet its needs.

Vice-President

WFC:iw

File

American Bank Note Company
Garrison Ave. & Tiffany St.
New York 59, N.Y.

FILE

Mr. J. W. T. Conley

Mr. C. S. Wright
Manager, Order Department

FILING
NOV 29 1949

November 28, 1949

65947367
Order Entered
By *DNL*
No. *217482*
Date *11/29/49*

Re: Banque Nationale de la Republique D'Haiti
F 12982

Please have noted on the above order that the faces and backs will be printed in a mixture of 1 - P 16 Red and 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ - 64 Orange, instead of as now called for.

/Done as previously - GUSC

*OK
GUSC.
11/23/49.*

C. S. Wright
Production Manager.

LVB/EM

*OK
WTP*

C. S. W.

NOV 29 1949

PAID
NOV 29 1949



NOV 29 1949



McCoolough
DEC 13 1949

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DEC 13 1949

STANDARD TIME

P 551- 2

1949 DEC 5 PM 3 14

ACK. 12/8/49

DA 454

HTK 454 PORTAUPRINCE 45 2 1402 VIA RCA

LC BANKNOTE NEWYORK

[OUR NEED FOR BANK NOTES EXTREMELY URGENT STOP CAN YOU SHIP SUBSTANTIAL QUANTITY ONES AND TWOS NOT LATER DECEMBER FIFTEENTH STOP ALSO IS IT POSSIBLE OBTAIN SHIPMENT OF A PART OUR ORDER FIVES AND TENS DURING SECOND FORTNIGHT DECEMBER STOP CABLE REPLY]

ICFM : LC

*12/5/49 - AA W advises by telephone
will deliver 100,000 each 15 & 25
week of Dec. 19 & 50,000 each 5 & 10
Dec. 30. Will advise on balance
later. Will involve over time
on making of electros.*

GP

FOREIGN DEPT.
A.B.N.CO.



DEC 2-1949

DEC 13 1949
CART 21 030

FILING
DEC 13 1949

MR. A. A. WITTNEBEL, VICE PRESIDENT:

HEREWITH TEXT OF HAITI CABLE

"OUR NEED FOR BANK NOTES EXTREMELY URGENT STOP CAN YOU SHIP
SUBSTANTIAL ~~RARXXX~~ QUANTITY ONES AND TWO NOT LATER DECEMBER
FIFTEENTH STOP ALSO IS IT POSSIBLE OBTAIN SHIPMENT OF A PART OUR ORDER
ORDER FIVES AND TENS DURING SECOND FORTNIGHT DECEMBER STOP CABLE REPLY"

HBL 12/2/49 4:25 P. M.

W. F. COLCLOUGH, JR.

OK EM

All America Cables and Radio

To Telephone a Message or
Call a Messenger
Telephone the Main Office
Whitehall 4-3100

OR ANY BRANCH OFFICE
SEE OTHER SIDE OF FORM

For Repetition Service and
All Other Departments
Owling Green 9-3800

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All America Cables and Radio

Number _____

Time _____

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Check _____

67 BROAD STREET, NEW YORK

Send the following message subject to
the services rules and regulations of
All America Cables and Radio, Inc., set
forth in its tariff book and on file with
the Federal Communications Commission.

To obtain our fast and accurate service
SENDER MUST MARK this message —
"VIA ALL AMERICA" in this space

“Via ALL AMERICA”

DECEMBER 5, 1949

CONF. 12/8/49

NLT

INSULAIRE
PORTAUPrince (Haiti)

FILING
DEC 13 1949

REFERRING YOUR CABLE DECEMBER SECOND BY USE OF EXTREME MEASURES TO MEET YOUR
BEGINNING
EMERGENCY NEEDS HOPE TO SHIP 100,000 EACH ONES TWOS WEEK OF DECEMBER 19TH
50,000 EACH FIVES TENS END OF DECEMBER STOP DEEPLY SYMPATHETIC YOUR PROBLEM
AND
BUT IMPOSSIBLE DO BETTER THAN THIS/HOPE WILL MEET YOUR NEEDS

BANKNOTES

(WFC:az

Sender's Name and Address.)

5:45 p.m.)

ORDINARY MESSAGE UNLESS MARKED OTHERWISE — SEE OTHER SIDE FOR CLASSES OF SERVICE

ALL AMERICA CABLES AND RADIO, Inc.

67 BROAD STREET, NEW YORK

Branch Offices in New York City

79 WALL STREET, TEL. HA. 2-6620
99 WALL STREET, TEL. BO. 9-8842
11 BROADWAY, TEL. WH. 3-7588
118 LIBERTY STREET, TEL. BA. 7-3877
7 BEEKMAN STREET, TEL. BE. 3-3433

130 FRANKLIN STREET, TEL. WA. 5-8914
261 FIFTH AVENUE, TEL. LE. 2-7278
242 WEST 29th STREET, TEL. CH. 4-3027
60 EAST 42nd STREET, TEL. MU. 2-1183

9 EAST 44th STREET, TEL. MU. 2-4160
9 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA, TEL. CI. 6-0565
30 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA, TEL. CI. 6-1515
926 SEVENTH AVENUE, TEL. CI. 7-2876
10 EAST 16th STREET, TEL. OR. 4-6070

Teletypewriter Exchanges NY 1-2651, NY 1-2652 and NY 1-112

8 DUPONT CIRCLE, N.W.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

OFFICES OF ALL AMERICA CABLES AND RADIO, INC.

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			VIRGIN ISLANDS Charlotte Amalie (formerly St. Thomas)	

Messages may also be filed at any office of Western Union in the United States.
To insure their transmission over our lines, such messages should be marked with
the routing indicator "Via ALL AMERICA," for which no charge is made.

CLASSES OF SERVICE

ORDINARY SERVICE—

Ordinary messages receive prompt transmission throughout, subject to priority of GOVERNMENT and URGENT PRESS messages. Ordinary messages may be either FULL RATE or CODE (CDE) RATE, both of these categories having equal rank in transmission.

FULL RATE—

Messages in this category are those which do not qualify as CDE under the CODE (CDE) regulations. They may be written in plain language or cipher (secret) language, or both.

CODE (CDE) RATE—

Under this category, code words must not contain more than five letters. Figure groups, trade terms and commercial marks composed of figures and letters, may not exceed fifty percent of the total number of words in the text and signature. Minimum charge of five words applies.

*DEFERRED (LC) SERVICE—

Deferred messages are subject to deferment in favor of FULL RATE and CODE (CDE) RATE messages of the same date. Such messages must be written wholly in one plain language. Minimum charge of five words applies.

*NIGHT LETTER (NLT) SERVICE—

This service is designed especially for business or social messages written wholly in one plain language. Delivery is effected on the day after filing except as otherwise indicated in the Company's Tariff on file with the Federal Communications Commission. Minimum charge of twenty-five words applies.

*Figure groups, trade terms and commercial marks must not exceed one-third of the total number of words in the text and signature.

ALL AMERICA CABLES AND RADIO, INC.

FILING
DEC 13 1949

DUPLICATE SENT

Air Mail
December 8, 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince
Haiti

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of November 19th and of your cable of December 2nd reading as follows:

"Our need for bank notes extremely urgent Stop Can you ship substantial quantity ones and twos not later December fifteenth Stop Also is it possible obtain shipment of a part our order fives and tens during second fortnight December Stop Cable reply".

In response to your request, we again reviewed every possibility of making earlier partial deliveries in order to meet your urgent needs, and we were happy to be able to advise you that, by the use of very extraordinary measures, we hope to make partial shipments of 100,000 notes of each of the One Gourde and Two Gourdes denominations during the week of December 19th and 50,000 notes of each of the Five Gourdes and Ten Gourdes denominations at the end of this month. Accordingly we cabled you as follows:

"Referring your cable December second by use of extreme measures to meet your emergency needs hope to ship 100,000 each ones twos week beginning December 19th 50,000 each fives tens end of December Stop Deeply sympathetic your problem but impossible do better than this and hope will meet your needs".

We sincerely hope that these anticipated deliveries will be sufficient to meet your temporary requirements. You may be sure of our complete sympathy in this emergency and our desire to do everything possible to assist you. We know you will appreciate that a partial shipment approximately six weeks after receipt of the order, with signature changes involved, is most unusual. Since such quick execution is not normally possible, we hope that you will decide to place another order with us in the near future, to take care of your subsequent needs.

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DEC 13 1949

December 8, 1949

In view of your current emergency, it occurs to us that you may wish to have these partial shipments, and possibly later ones, sent by air. If so, will you please cable us accordingly, so that we can make the necessary arrangements for packing and shipping.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Vice-President

WFC:pa

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12/14/49*

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DEC 14 1949

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NLT BANKNOTE NEWYORK

REFER YOUR LETTER 8TH PLEASE SHIP ONES AND TWOS VIA STEAMER GATUN

STANDARD FRUIT LINE SAILING NEWYORK DECEMBER 16TH STOP

SHIP FIVE AND TEN GOURDE NOTES BY PLANE

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CFM NLT 8TH ONES TWOS 16TH GOURDE

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti

PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI

Nº 5183

G. W. T. C.
DEC 20 1949

Cablegram sent to _____

Dated _____

Checked _____

Cost _____

Port-au-Prince, December 13, 1949

NLT
BANKNOTE
NEWYORK

REFER YOUR LETTER 8TH PLEASE SHIP ONES AND TWOS VIA STEAMER GATON STANDARD FRUIT LINE SAILING
NEWYORK DECEMBER 16TH STOP SHIP FIVE AND GOURDE NOTES BY PLANE

INSULAIRE

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti

PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI

Nº 5188

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DEC 20 1949

Cablegram sent to _____ Dated _____

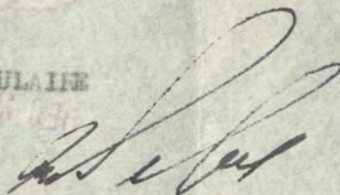
Checked _____ Port-au-Prince, 14 d. Dec. 1949

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BANKNOTE
NEW YORK

RETEL SHIPMENT NOTES TWENTYSECOND SATISFACTORY

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G.W.T.C.
DEC 20 1949

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DEC 20 1949

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DEC 20 1949

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FILING
DEC 19 1949

A i r m a i l
December 16, 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

We acknowledge receipt of your cable of December 13th, reading as follows:

"Refer your letter 8th please ship ones and twos via steamer "Gatun" Standard Fruit Line sailing New York December 16th Stop. Ship five and ten Gourde notes by plane."

and we confirm our cable of December 14th, as follows:

"Retel thirteenth regret impossible ship earlier than "Notos" Royal Netherlands sailing 22nd. Stop. Please advise if plane shipment desired."

We also acknowledge receipt of your cable of December 14th, reading as follows:

"Retel shipment "Notos" twentysecond satisfactory."

We regret that it was impossible for us to comply with your request, since the notes will not be ready for shipment until next week and we are glad to note that shipment on December 22nd will be satisfactory to you.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Vice-President

WFC:iw

File

American Bank Note Company
Garrison Ave. & Tiffany St.
New York 59, N.Y.

95947739
Order Entered
By *DN*
No. *212962*
Date *12/27/49*

December 22, 1949

FILING
DEC 27 1949

Mr. G. W. T. Combs
Asst. Manager, Foreign Dept.

Re: Banque Nationale de la Republique D'Haiti
F 12982

Please have noted on above order that it was not necessary to lay down a face die as the signatures were removed from the roll on hand, which was then used to transfer the new face plate.

LVB/EM

*OK
12/27/49*

W. Deane
Production Manager.

C. S. W.

DEC 27 1949

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

FILING
DEC 27 1949

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Order Entered
By <i>OK</i>
No. <i>212982/3</i>
Date <i>12/27/49</i>

FILE

December 27, 1949

Order Department

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Fl2982/3 - 5 and 10 Gourde Notes

The first 50,000 notes from each of the above orders are to be packed in corrugated board and waterproof paper packages of 10,000 notes each and shipped by air as soon as possible, marked and consigned to:

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti

The words "Made in U.S.A." must also appear on the outside of each package.

B. M. Campbell
Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JWB:pa

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C. S. W.
DEC 27 1949

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Air Mail
December 27, 1949

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti.
Port-au-Prince
Haiti.

Gentlemen:

We beg to advise that we have arranged to ship per the S.S.
"ATLANTIDA", which is scheduled to sail from New York on December 30th,
two (2) cases of 1 Gourde and two (2) cases of 2 Gourdes notes on account
of your order of November 4, 1949.

As soon as we receive the executed shipping documents we shall
forward them with our usual advice of shipment giving complete details.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JDN:pa

File

DUPLICATE SENT
Air Mail
January 3, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince
Haiti.

FILING
JAN - 5 1950

Gentlemen:

We beg to advise that we have arranged to ship per the M.S.
"POSEIDON", which is scheduled to sail from New York on January 5th, four
(4) cases of 1 Gourde and two (2) cases of 2 Gourdes notes on account of
your order of November 4, 1949.

As soon as we receive the executed shipping documents we shall
forward them with our usual advice of shipment giving complete details.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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NLT BANKNOTE NY

YOUR CABLES DECEMBER 30 AND JANUARY 4 SHIPMENTS

FIVES AND TENS RECEIVED PLEASE EFFECT FURTHER

SHIPMENTS BY STEAMER DISCONTINUE AIRMAIL

INSULAIRE

'Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti)

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G. W. T. Co.
JAN 11 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti

PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI

Nº 5250

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JAN 12 1950

Cablegram sent to _____ Dated _____

Checked _____ Cost _____

NLT
BANKNOTE
NEWYORK

Port-au-Prince, 5 janvier 1950

YOUR CABLES DECEMBER 30 AND JANUARY 4 SHIPMENT FIVES AND TENS RECEIVED PLEASE EFFECT FURTHER SHIPMENTS BY STEAMER DISCONTINUE AIRMAIL

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[Signature]

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BANKNOTE
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JAN 11 1950

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JAN 11 1950

DUPLICATE SENT

Air Mail
January 6, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

FILING

JAN - 9 1950

We are in receipt of your cable of yesterday, reading:

"Your cables December 30 and January 4 shipments fives and
tens received please effect further shipments by steamer
discontinue airmail"

from which we are pleased to learn of the safe arrival of the two shipments
by air.

As requested, further shipments will all be dispatched by steamer,
as quickly as partials can be made ready.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JWB:pa

File

American Bank Note Company
Garrison Ave. & Tiffany St.
New York 59, N.Y.

FILE

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JAN - 9 1950

January 6, 1950

OS 947864

Order Entered	By	ONL
No	212980	
Date	1/9/50	

Mr. G. W. T. Combs
Asst. Manager, Foreign Dept.

Re: Banque de la Republique D'Haiti - F 12980

Please have instructions entered on above order to cancel 4 - 32/1
Gourde back plates Nos. A5-A6-A7-A8, which are cracked and cannot
be used for further printing.

It will be necessary to replace these plates for future orders.

LVB/EM

OK
1/6/50.

W. B. Beant
Production Manager.

C. S. W.
JAN - 6 1950



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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

AIR MAIL.

January 9, 1950

REFERENCE C.11-8

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JAN 16 1950

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JAN 13 1950

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E. F. P.
JAN 12 1950

American Bank Note Co.,
70 Broad Street
New York 4, N.Y.

Gentlemen:-

We thank you for the shipments covered by your letters of December 28 & 30, the Notes having been received, controlled in the usual manner and found correct.

There is enclosed herewith our bank-draft on New York to your order for \$ 3,884.84 in payment of your invoices :-

N53856
N53906

\$ 2,072.09 - 12/28/49 ✓
\$ 1,812.75 12/30/49 ✓
\$ 3,884.84

No enclosure for filing

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
DEPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL.

[Signature]
Comptroller.

[Signature]
Sub-Manager.

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JAN 10 1950

American Bank Note Co.,
70 Broad Street,
New York, N.Y.

Comptroller:-

We thank you for the statement covered by your letter of December 24, 1949, the same having been received, corrected in the usual manner, and found correct.

There is enclosed herewith a statement of the balance in your favor for \$3,857.00 in payment of your invoice to:-

\$ 3,857.00
1,812.75
2,044.25

153850
153850

RECEIVED
JAN 10 1950

THE DIRECTOR OF THE STATE

[Signature]

[Signature]

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January 9, 1950.

AIR MAIL

REFERENCE C.11-8.

American Bank Note Co.,
70 Broad Street
New York 4, N.Y.

Gentlemen:-

We acknowledge receipt on January 5th. of your cablegram of January 4th. reading :-

"SHIPPED PANAMERICAN TODAY ONE PACKAGE TENS FLIGHT 215 DUE
PORT AU PRINCE TOMORROW MORNING AIRWAYBILL NUMBER 026-1-0025634".

and confirm our cablegram to you of January 5th. as follows :-

"YOUR CABLES DECEMBER 30 AND JANUARY 4 SHIPMENTS FIVES AND TENS
RECEIVED PLEASE EFFECT FURTHER SHIPMENTS BY STEAMER DISCONTINUE
AIRMAIL".

From the foregoing, you will have gathered that the extra-ordinarily intense demand by local and domestic commerce for our bank-notes has suddenly eased off during the past few days and, the situation being no longer critical, it will be satisfactory to abandon shipments by Air Express in favour of the less expensive and normal shipments by steamer.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
DEPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL.

Comptroller.

Sub-Manager.

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département de la Trésorerie

Banque de l'Etat d'Haïti, Cap-Haïtien, République d'Haïti

Trésorerie de l'Etat d'Haïti, Cap-Haïtien

Spécialités et Agences des services divers



INSTRUMENT

Cap-Haïtien, République d'Haïti

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JAN 12 1950

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DUPLICATE SENT

Air Mail
January 10, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince
Haiti.

FILING
JAN 12 1950

Gentlemen:

We beg to advise that we have arranged to ship per the S.S.
"GATUN", which is scheduled to sail from New York on January 12th, three
(3) cases of 1 Gourde notes and two (2) cases each of the 2, 5 and 10
Gourdes notes on account of your order of November 4, 1949.

As soon as we receive the executed shipping documents we shall
forward them with our usual advice of shipment giving complete details.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JDN:pa

File

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Adresse Télégraphique:
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

January 12, 1950

REFERENCE C.11-8

AIR MAIL

American Bank Note Company
70 Broad Street
New York 4, N.Y.

Gentlemen:-

We have today taken delivery of 6 cases of Gourde notes, arrived by M/S "Poseidon", as advised by your letter of January 3rd.

May we bring to your attention the fact that this is the second time during recent weeks that gourde-shipments have arrived by steamer before the shipping documents are in our hands. This causes a certain amount of inconvenience and delay to us and, if you could manage to get the shipping documents always mailed in time to arrive a day ahead of the steamer, it would be appreciated.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
DEPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL.

Comptroller.

Vice-President & Co-Manager.

Original B/L must be presented with Com. Inv.

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NOV 19 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat d'Haïti au Capital de 100 Millions de Gourdes

Trésorerie de l'Etat d'Haïti

Secrétariat et Agence dans les villes d'Haïti



Adresse Télégraphique
HAÏTI

Direction Générale de l'Administration des Finances

Haïti, 11 1950

JAN 16 1950

HAÏTI

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JAN 18 1950

we have today an opportunity to receive a letter from
the "Association" as a result of your letter of 11/11/50.

12/11/50 we are going to have a letter from the "Association" and
respond to it during the next few days. In our letter
of 11/11/50, we have indicated that we are in a position
to accept the proposed conditions of the "Association" and
to accept the proposed conditions of the "Association".



HAÏTI, 11 1950

[Handwritten signature and text]

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Air Mail
January 13, 1950

FILING
JAN 16 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 9th,
reference C.11-8, together with your bank-draft on New York, to our
order for US\$3,884.84, in settlement of our invoices of December 28 and
30, 1949.

Thanking you for this remittance, we remain

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Treasurer

pa

File

FILING
JAN 19 1950

DUPLICATE SENT

A i r M a i l
January 17, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

We refer to your letter of the 12th, reference C.11-8, in which you brought to our attention the fact that, on two recent occasions, shipping documents did not reach you until after the arrival of the respective cases. We regret the inconvenience this caused you.

Our forwarding agents are instructed to get the executed shipping documents into our hands at the earliest possible time and we in turn forward them to you promptly thereafter. However, the formalities of documentation, and the obtaining of consular visas thereon, do take a certain minimum time, so that, when we work to a very close schedule and make last minute deliveries to the steamer, as in the case of your recent shipments, the vessel is sometimes well on its way before the documentation is completed.

You may be sure we will continue our efforts to forward the documents promptly with a view to having them reach you before arrival of the shipment whenever possible.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JWB:pa

File

FILING
JAN 19 1950

DUPLICATE SENT

A i r M a i l
January 17, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince
Haiti.

Gentlemen:

We beg to advise that we have arranged to ship per the M.S.
"NOTOS", which is scheduled to sail from New York on January 19th:-

5	cases	of	1	Gourde	notes
2	"	"	2	Gourdes	"
5	"	"	5	"	"
1	case	"	10	"	"

on account of your order of November 4, 1949.

As soon as we receive the executed shipping documents we shall
forward them with our usual advice of shipment giving complete details.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JDN:pa

File

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

Port-au-Prince, January 17th 1950.

VIA AIRMAIL

FILING

JAN 24 1950

REFERENCE C-11-8

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

Gentlemen :-

We have opened and verified the cases of gourde-notes
listed in your invoices :

N 54076	Jan. 4 ✓	\$ 202.71
N 54075	" 5 ✓	4,139.76
N 54065	" 10 ✓	<u>6,204.27</u>
Total		<u>\$ 10,546.74</u>

and now enclose our bank-draft on New York for like amount in
settlement.Yours very truly,
BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI.

No enclosure for filing

Asst. Chief Acctt.

Comptroller

encl: 1 bank-draft.-

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat d'Haïti au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorerie de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans toutes les ports ouverts d'Haïti

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JAN 20 1950

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American Bank Note Company
 70 Broad Street
 New York 4, N.Y.

We have opened and verified the cases of your coins
 placed in our vaults:

100.00	10	1000.00
50.00	5	2500.00
20.00	2	400.00
10.00	1	100.00
Total		7500.00

and now enclose our bank-note of the same amount for
 your receipt.

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI



DUPLICATE SENT

FILING
JAN 24 1950

A i r m a i l
January 23, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Gentlemen:

We acknowledge receipt of your letter dated January 17th,
(reference C-11-8), enclosing bank-draft on New York for U.S.\$10,546.74,
in payment of our invoices of January 4th, 5th and 10th, 1950.

Thanking you for this remittance,

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Treasurer

File

Mr. GWT Combs

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, January 26, 1950

REFERENCE:

The American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York City, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

We frequently have requests from museums, etc. for specimens of our gourde notes.

In order to permit us to furnish these specimens without cost to us or to the museums in question, we would appreciate your furnishing us with 50 notes each of the 1, 2, 5 and 10 gourde denominations which are now being printed by you. These bills should be cancelled by overprinting on the same in red the word "Specimen".

Will you kindly send the above bills by registered mail to the undersigned.

With our thanks in advance, we remain,

Very truly yours,

A. M. Herres

A. M. Herres,
Vice-President & Co-Manager

*OK - to be punched &
overprinted - no charge
- pls. ackn*

WJ

see 2/17

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FEB 2 1950

JAN 28 1950
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The following have been received from the
of our records for the year 1949.
In order to verify the accuracy of these records
to the best of our knowledge, we have conducted a
thorough check of the records for the year 1949.
We have found that the records for the year 1949
are now being reviewed by the Bureau of the
Internal Revenue Service, and we are sorry that
we cannot give you a more definite answer at this
time.

Very truly yours,

John F. Kennedy

John F. Kennedy
President of the United States

DUPLICATE SENT

FILING
JAN 31 1950

A i r m a i l
January 27, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince
Haiti.

Gentlemen:

We beg to advise that we have arranged to ship per the S.S.
"Trajanus", which is scheduled to sail from New York on February 2nd, for
Port-au-Prince, five(5) cases of 1 Gourde and one (1) case of 2 Gourdes
notes, being the final shipment of your order of November 4, 1949.

As soon as we receive the executed shipping documents we shall
forward them with our usual advice of shipment giving complete details.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

Port-au-Prince, January 27th 1950

via airmail

REFERENCE C11-8

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

FILING
FEB - 1 1950

ACK.
E. F. P.
JAN 30 1950

Gentlemen,

Having received and verified as usual the contents of 9 cases covered by your January 18 invoice No. N54226, we now enclose our bank-draft No. 27540 on New York for \$9,137.83 in settlement.

Yours very truly,
BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

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Asst. Chief Accountant.-

M. M. M. M. M.
Comptroller.-

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JAN 30 1950



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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital des Ordres Nationaux de Commerce

Trésorerie de l'Etat de l'Ordre d'Administration

Comptes et Agence dans les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Personnel de l'Administration
Personnel de l'Agence

Personnel de l'Agence de l'Ordre d'Administration

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
JAN 30 1950

DUPLICATE SENT

FILING
FEB - 1 1950

Air Mail
January 30, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

We acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 27th, reference Cll-8, together with your bank-draft No. 27540, to our order and on New York for US\$9,137.83, in settlement of our invoice of January 18th, 1950.

Thanking you for this remittance, we beg to remain,

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Treasurer

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

FILING

FEB 1 1950

A.L.S.

FEB -1 1950

1/31/58

SUBJECT:

Haiti banknotes - overture, charge

As you may recall, we were requested on the last order to us, unlimited overture, & we advised the cost probably would not exceed \$1000.

Order is now finished & overture cost is \$224. If you agree, I propose to show overture charge of \$225 on last bill.

We improved upon our promise.

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

E. F. P.
FEB - 2 1950

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI.

PORT-AU-PRINCE, January 31 1950

AIR MAIL

REFERENCE 0 11-8

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

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FEB - 6 1950

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Gentlemen:-

Having received and verified, as usual, the contents of 13 cases covered by your January 23rd. invoice No. 54249, we now enclose our bank-draft No. 27714 on New York for \$13,186.79 in settlement.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
DEPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL

J. L. L. L.
Asst. Chief Accountant.

J. L. L. L.
Comptroller.

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FOREIGN DEP.
A.B.N.CO.



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FOREIGN DEPT.
A.B.N.CO.



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FEB - 3 1950

Air Mail
February 1, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Département Commercial
Port-au-Prince, Haïti.

Gentlemen:

In reply to your letter of January 26th, requesting 50 specimens each of your 1, 2, 5 and 10 Gourde notes, we are pleased to advise you that we will be able to comply with your request and that we will forward them to you, without charge, in the manner requested, as soon as they can be cancelled and overprinted with the word "Specimen".

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JWB:WFC:pa

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

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FEB - 2 1950

February 1, 1950

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Order Entered
By *ONH*
No. *212980/3*
Date *2/2/50*

Order Department

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
FL2980/1/2/3 - 1,2,5 and 10 Gourde Notes

Please note on above orders that we are to furnish 50 specimens of each denomination, same to be cancelled by a hole punched through each signature and by overprinting the word "Specimen", in Red, on both face and back.

As soon as ready they are to be sent by first class mail, registered, to:

Mr. A. M. Herres, Vice-President & Co-Manager
Département Commercial
Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

No charge. ✓

Authority: Bank's letter January 26, 1950.

BWS Combs
Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JWB:pa

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C. S. W.
FEB - 1. 1950

Mr. W. E. Combes
Comptroller

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

FILING

FEB - 3 1950

2/1/50

SUBJECT:

Hanti bill on last banknote order

Pls add to final bill on this recent order
an additional item of \$22.50 for "cost of
overprints employed as per our letter of November 17, 1949
and your letter of November 19, 1949."

W.F.

9. W. 26

add to order

Wm L
1/1/50

Mr. GWT Combs
AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FILING
FEB - 3 1950

2/1/50

SUBJECT:

Overtures on Hants Banknote order

I have requested WEC to add to final bill on recent order an item of \$225. for overtures employed at request of customer.

Pls cover this in letter accompanying bill. Let me see letter before it goes.

WR

DUPLICATE SENT

Air Mail
February 3, 1950

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FEB - 6 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

We acknowledge receipt of your letter No. C 11-8, dated
January 31st, together with your bank-draft No. 27714, to our order and
on New York for US\$13,186.79, in settlement of our invoice of January
23, 1950.

Thanking you for this remittance, we beg to remain,

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Treasurer

pa

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, February 11, 1950

REFERENCE: C-11-8

AIRMAIL

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New-York 4, N.Y.

Gentlemen :-

As our stock of Five-gourde notes and ten-gourde notes is near the point where a new order becomes necessary, we should like you to give us your best F.O.B. New York quotation by early Air Mail for :

600,000 notes of Five gourdes
300,000 " " Ten "

The serial-numbers for the Five's would be E400001 to E 1000000 and for the Ten's B 700001 to B1000000 while the signatures would be :

Un administrateur
C.F. Aimé

Un directeur
A.M. Herres

Un Administrateur
Emmanuel Thézan.

The second and third are on file with you while the usual cards would be sent you in due course for Mr. Aimé. The signature would be typed in black.

It would be appreciated if you would also let us know the earliest date when shipment could begin.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

Comptroller

Vice-President & Co-Manager.

on hand.
used on
1 + 8 of notes -
Nov. 1949 order
Rec'd with bank's letter 11/4

Asked bank for promise 4/17
of order rec'd. by Mar. 15th
Begin Middle of May
Complete " " June
reval 4/13/50.

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Goudes

FOREIGN DEPT
A.B.N.CO.

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Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts

Adresse Télégraphique
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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Adresse Télégraphique :
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, February 16th 1950

REFERENCE C.11-8

VIA AIRMAIL

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

W.F.C.
FEB 21 1950

E. F. P.
FEB 20 1950

FILING
FEB 23 1950

Gentlemen :-

We have opened and verified contents of six cases of gourde-notes listed on your invoice No. 54506 of February 2nd and now enclose our bank draft for \$6,434.99 in settlement.

The extra effort put forth by you to speed up the delivery schedule went a long way towards meeting the unusually heavy demands of the public for our bills and we greatly appreciate your co-operation. We find the over-time charge of \$225.- to be very reasonable and, in brief, we are highly pleased with the way everything has turned out.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

J. Macdonald
Comptroller.

J. L. L.
Sub-Manager.

No enclosure for filing

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Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Le Directeur Général, Monsieur le Ministre des Finances et du Commerce

Le Directeur Général, Monsieur le Ministre des Finances et du Commerce

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Air Mail
February 17, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Département Commercial
Port-au-Prince, Haïti.

Gentlemen:

With further reference to our letter of February 1st, we are pleased to advise having forwarded by first class registered mail, addressed to your Mr. A. M. Herres, Vice-President and Co-Manager, one (1) package, containing:

Cancelled Specimens

50	Notes,	1	Gourde
50	"	2	Gourdes
50	"	5	"
50	"	10	"

which you requested in your letter dated January 26, 1950.

Trusting that this package will reach you in due course, we remain,

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JDN:pa

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FEB 21 1950

Air Mail
February 20, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

We acknowledge receipt of your letter No. C 11-8, dated
February 16th, together with your bank-draft, to our order for
US\$6,434.99, in settlement of our invoice of February 2, 1950.

Thanking you for this remittance, we beg to remain,

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Treasurer

pa

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FILING
FEB 27 1950

Air Mail
February 23, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of February 11th, reference C.11.8, requesting our quotation on furnishing an additional order for 600,000 - 5 Gourdes and 300,000 - 10 Gourdes notes, all to be exactly the same as those previously supplied by us with the exception of the numbering and the signature of "Un administrateur" which is to be that of Mr. C. F. Aimé.

We have on hand all three signatures, as that of Mr. C. F. Aimé was previously sent us for use in connection with your last order for the 1 Gourde and 2 Gourdes notes. All signatures will be typed in black as requested.

For furnishing a total of 900,000 notes as mentioned above, our price is \$16,650.00 U.S. Currency, F. O. B. New York.

Providing this order is received by us not later than March 15th, we believe we can have a partial shipment ready for forwarding about the beginning of June and complete the entire order about a month later. We shall, of course, shorten this time if possible.

Thanking you for this inquiry and trusting that we may have the pleasure of further serving you, we remain

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

GWTC:pa

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ADVISE OF CANCELLATION.

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TITLE

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAITI

ORDER No. F-12980

THE FOLLOWING MATERIAL HAS BEEN CANCELLED AND DESTROYED IN MY PRESENCE

ON THIS

24th

DAY OF

February, 1950

4 - 32/1 Gourde back plates Nos. A5 to A8

FILING
MAR 17 1950

Order Entered
By <i>[Signature]</i>
No. <i>71246</i>
Date <i>3/17/50</i>

C. S. W.

MAR 15 1950

PLATE MAKING

(DEPARTMENT)

A. B. Bopland
(WITNESS)

Banque Nationale de la Rep. d'Haiti

March 3, 1950

Their Letter-Order for Bank Notes filed in packet:
Customer's Orders

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT
ORDER FORM

JJG:pa

March 6, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti

FILING
MAR 10 1950

Order Entered
By *OKL*
No. *713045*
Date *3/7/50*

Previous Order FL2982

600,000 - 5 Gourdes Notes

Dry steel print 28,571-9/21 imps. 21/5 Gourdes notes face in

1 - P16 Red
1-1/4 - 64 Orange

Back in 1 - P16 Red
1-1/4 - 64 Orange

Major tint combination No. 730 on face
Type 3 signatures on face in black as follows:

C. F. Aimé as "Un Administrateur" at left (Sig. on hand)

A. M. Herres as "Un Directeur" in center (Sig. on hand)

Emmanuel Thézan as "Un Administrateur" at right (sig. on hand)

Paper No. 29 Standard Bank Note Scattered Planchette No. 206
D/Nos. on face in Blue: E400001 to E1000000 (Series changes with each 1,000,000 notes)
Cut single and trim to size 6-5/16 x 2-11/16 inches.
Band in small bands of 100 notes each, then band in lots of 1,000 notes (10 small bands) with a large band typed as last.
Wrap in Kraft paper packages of 10,000 notes each with labels reading as last.
Pack in tin lined wooden cases of 50,000 notes each.

Delivery: Partial about the beginning of June and complete about month later.

Authority: Letter of March 3, 1950 from the Bank.

Price: Included in F 13046

Bill to above.

Mark and consign to above.

The words "Made in U.S.A." must also be marked on the outside of each case.

C. S. W.

MAR - 1950

J. W. J. Conks

A. MANAGER FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT
ORDER FORM

JJG:pa

March 6, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti

FILING
MAR 10 1950

Previous order F12983

Order Entered
By *OKL*
No. *213046*
Date *3/7/50*

300,000 - 10 Gourdes Notes

Dry steel print 14,285-15/21 imps. 21/10 Gourdes notes, face in 42 Green,
back in 42 Green. Major tint combination No. 731 on face.
Type 3 signatures on face in black as follows:

C. F. Aimé as "Un Administrateur" at left (Sig. on hand)

A.M. Herres as "Un Directeur" in center (Sig. on hand)

Emmanuel Thézan as "Un Administrateur" at right (Sig. on hand)

Paper No. 29 Standard Bank Note Scattered Planchette No. 206.
D/Nos. on face in Red B700001 to B1000000 (Series changes with each 1,000,000 notes).

Cut single and trim to size 6-5/16 x 2-11/16 inches.
Band in small bands of 100 notes each, then band in lots of 1,000 notes each
(10 small bands) with a large band typed as last.
Wrap in Kraft paper packages of 10,000 notes each with labels reading as last.

Pack in tin lined wooden cases of 50,000 notes each.

Delivery: Partial about the beginning of June and complete about 1 month later.

Authority: Letter of March 3, 1950 from the Bank.

Bill to above.

Price: \$16,650.00 U.S.Cy., F.O.B. New York
No commission
Includes F 13045

Mark and consign to above

The words "Made in U.S.A." must also be marked on the outside of each case.

C. S. W.

MAR -7 1950

[Red circular stamp]

J. H. J. Combs

MANAGER FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

[Signature]

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FILING
MAR - 8 1950

A i r M a i l
March 7, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti,
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

We acknowledge receipt of, and thank you for, your letter of March 3rd, reference C-11-8, placing with us your order for 600,000 notes of 5 Gourdes and 300,000 notes of 10 Gourdes.

This order is having our close attention and you may rely on our best efforts to hasten its completion.

We note that from present indications it will be in order for us to make shipments by steamer but that if you should require some of the notes by air express you will advise us in due course.

Reiterating our thanks for this valued order, we remain,

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department ^B

JJG:pa

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← customer's order
PCHV

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Département Commercial

Banque de l'Etat Haïtien au Capital de Cinq Millions de Gourdes

Trésorière de l'Etat et Banque d'émission

Succursales et Agences dans tous les ports ouverts d'Haïti

Adresse Télégraphique
INSULAIRE

Siège Social et Bureau Principal: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, March 15, 1950.

REFERENCE.....

FILING
MAR 21 1950

The American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

W.F.C.
MAR 20 1950

Foreign Dept

Att: Mr. G. W. Combs,
Asst. Manager Foreign Dept.

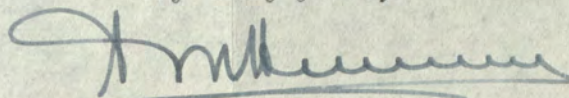
Gentlemen:

Referring to your letter of February 17, 1950, we duly received the registered package containing cancelled specimens of the following Gourde notes:

50 Notes,	1 Gourde
50 "	2 "
50 "	5 "
50 "	10 "

We thank you for your attention in this matter and remain,

Very truly yours,



A. M. Herres,
Vice-President & Co-Manager

FOREIGN DEPT
A.B.N.CO.



MAR 20 1950

American Bank Note Company
Garrison Ave. & Tiffany St.
New York, N.Y.

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B.

E. W. R.
MAR 31 1950

March 24, 1950

Mr. G. W. T. Combs
Asst. Manager, Foreign Dept.

Re: Banque Nationale de la Republique D'Haiti
F 13045 - F 13046

We list below delivery dates and quantities for 600,000 - 5 Gourde
and 300,000 - 10 Gourde notes.

F 13045 - 5's

May 17, 1950	-	200,000
31,	-	<u>400,000</u>
		600,000

F 13046 - 10's

May 31, 1950	-	150,000
June 14,	-	<u>150,000</u>
		300,000

A. Beant
Production Manager.

LVB/EM

*Above to be revised
per LVB 4/19/50
Something like a week later
on the 5's & a week earlier
on the 10's.*

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
DÉPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL

BANQUE DE L'ÉTAT HAÏTIEN AU CAPITAL DE CINQ MILLIONS DE GOURDES
TRÉSORIÈRE DE L'ÉTAT ET BANQUE D'ÉMISSION
SUCCURSALES ET AGENCES DANS TOUS LES PORTS OUVERTS D'HAÏTI

ADDRESSE TÉLÉGRAPHIQUE
INSULAIRE

SIÈGE SOCIAL ET BUREAU PRINCIPAL: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, April 18th 1950

REFERENCE C-11-8

The American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York, N.Y.

W.F.C.
APR 24 1950
FILING
MAY 25 1950

G.W.T.C.
APR 24 1950

Gentlemen :-

We request your valued assistance in providing us at your convenience with a complete technically-correct description of each denomination of bank-note from One-gourde to One hundred gourde prepared from the current plates, size, colours, vignette, description of "lattice-work" front and back, and any other features you may have on file. There is no urgent need for this information - perhaps you could furnish us with a reply in a few weeks.

As time goes on, we receive more requests from various agencies abroad for descriptions of our bills, and, as we have nobody with us who is capable of making a good job of this, it would be much appreciated if you would give us an authoritative, technically-correct word-picture of each kind of note.

Your reply will be looked for with much interest in the course of a few weeks.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
DÉPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL

A.J. Macdonald
A.J. Macdonald
Comptroller

S. Pilié
S. Pilié
Sub-Manager.-

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W.F.C.
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APR 24 1950

The American Bank Note Company
70 Broad Street
New York, N.Y.

Continued: -

As you can see, your well-known assistance in providing us all your
information with a complete and correct statement of our
denomination of bank notes is - as you know - the most pre-
cise and the most accurate, since, without your assistance,
of "false" notes, from the fact, and any other means you may have
in life. There is no other way to this knowledge - because you
could furnish us with a copy in a few weeks.

As time goes on, we receive more requests from various
sources for assistance of our office, and we have nothing with
us who is capable of doing a good job of this, as you are much
experienced in your work as an assistant. Therefore, correct
non-shipment of any kind of note.

Our only bill is looked for with much interest in the
course of a few weeks.

Yours very truly,

W.F.C.

W.F.C.
APR 24 1950

W.F.C.
APR 24 1950

American Bank Note Company
Garrison Ave. & Tiffany St.
New York, N.Y.

April 20, 1950

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APR 25 1950

Mr. G. W. T. Combs
Asst. Manager, Foreign Dept.

G.W.T.C.
APR 21 1950

Re: Banque Nationale de la Republique D'Haiti
F 13045 - F 13046

Please substitute the following delivery dates and quantities for 600,000 - 5 Gourde and 300,000 - 10 Gourde notes, for those listed in our memorandum of March 24, 1950.

<u>F 13045 - 5's</u>	May 24, 1950 -	200,000
	June 7,	<u>400,000</u>
		600,000

<u>F 13046 - 10's</u>	May 17, 1950	150,000
	31,	<u>150,000</u>
		300,000

LVB/EM

R. B. Bant
Production Manager

*Not to be used until
released by L.V.B. May
have to revise it again slightly*
Jord
4/24/50

A i r M a i l
April 28, 1950

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MAY 2 - 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Departement Commercial
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Gentlemen:

We are in receipt of your letter of the 18th, Reference
C-11-8, and your request therein is having our attention. We will com-
municate with you further in due course.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JWB:pa

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Entered 3/7

MEMORANDUM
FROM OFFICE OF PRESIDENT

E. W. R.

DATE

5/1/50

Subject

Haiti

MAY

F13045/6

tel. for a a w

order for 300,000 - 10's
600,000 - 5's

all 10's wrong sig ^{Ingram as on} prev. instead of himi.

about 1/4 of 5's wrong sig - as above
or a little more - perhaps 160,000, subject
to examination.

toed a a w. to 20th
work - at once

sig - error is underscored on order sheet

checked with Brant 5/1

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MAY 5 - 1950

A i r m a i l
May 3, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

With reference to your current order for 600,000 notes of 5 Gourdes and 300,000 notes of 10 Gourdes, placed with us through your letter of March 3rd, we regret to inform you that an error has occurred in the printing of the signatures on part of the notes.

Because of the urgency of your previous order and your probable need for a quick delivery of these notes, we have given your current order preferential treatment and have endeavored to expedite its completion as much as possible. In the process, your instructions to substitute the signature of Mr. C.F. Aime for that of Mr. G. Margron, which we had transmitted to our Plant, were inadvertently overlooked by the compositor, who printed the same signatures as on the previous notes of these denominations.

Although this error was detected in the course of our examination of the notes, the work had proceeded so rapidly that the signatures had already been printed on all of the 10 Gourdes notes and approximately 150,000 of the 5 Gourdes notes.

While the human element involved makes such errors possible, we take every precaution to reduce them to an absolute minimum, and we naturally regret very much the occurrence of this one. We have, of course, suspended work on the printing of the signatures on the balance of the 5 Gourdes notes, consisting of approximately 450,000 notes, pending this advice to you and your reply thereto.

Unfortunately the signatures are printed in the final operation of the work, so that all the other operations have been performed on these notes. We sincerely hope therefore that it will not be inconvenient for you to accept the 300,000 10 Gourdes notes and approximately 150,000 5 Gourdes notes already completed, which are perfect in all other respects and in exactly the same form as the notes of your previous order. Otherwise it would be necessary to destroy these notes and reprint them in their entirety, which would involve a considerable delay in the completion of the order, in view of the present allocation of our facilities to other work. In this connection, we would point out that

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see 5/8/50

*customer's order
part.*

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti

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MAY 5-1950

May 3, 1950

the completed notes are of the same series and bear the same signatures as the notes of these denominations last delivered to you.

As for the 450,000 5 Gourdes notes not yet completed, we can print either the signature of Mr. Aimé or that of Mr. Margron, as you may prefer.

We hope that you will not be unduly inconvenienced by accepting these notes, since we naturally wish to avoid the substantial loss which their reprinting would represent. We shall therefore appreciate your favorable consideration and advice, so that we may proceed with the execution of your valued order.

With the sincere hope that this will be entirely satisfactory to you, and with assurances of our distinguished consideration, we remain

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Vice-President

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BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
DÉPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL

BANQUE DE L'ÉTAT HAÏTIEN AU CAPITAL DE CINQ MILLIONS DE GOURDES
TRÉSORIÈRE DE L'ÉTAT ET BANQUE D'ÉMISSION
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ADDRESSE TÉLÉGRAPHIQUE
INSULAIRE

SIÈGE SOCIAL ET BUREAU PRINCIPAL: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, May 8th 1950

REFERENCE C-11-8

"via airmail"

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

Gentlemen :-

We have received your letter of May 3rd 1950, advising us of an error that has occurred in the printing of the signatures on part of the notes comprised in our order of March 3rd 1950 for 600,000 notes of 5 Gourdes and 300,000 notes of 10 Gourdes.

It is noted that our instructions to substitute the signature of Mr. C.F. Aimé for that of Mr. G. Margron were inadvertently overlooked by the compositor who printed the signature of Mr. Margron, and that the wrong signature had been printed on all of the 10 Gourde notes and about 150,000 of the 5 Gourde notes before the error was discovered.

We have made a most comprehensive study of the possibility of accepting the defective portion of the notes, even though they bear the signature of Mr. G. Margron who died on December²² 1949. However, we are most reluctantly compelled to decline to take them, because they are not legally acceptable - that is, an order placed early in March cannot bear a signature of an official who died about two months previously. [We therefore urge all possible speed in making up other notes and to endeavour to have them ready for shipment with a delay of not more than one month beyond dates originally anticipated by you, which were that a partial shipment would be ready for forwarding about the beginning of June, with the entire order to be completed about a month later.]

We request that you forward us for our files, in due course, an affidavit duly signed by a Notary Public certifying to the destruction of the defective notes.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
Département Commercial

A.J. Macdonald
Comptroller.

A.M. Herres
Vice-President & Co-Manager.

A.H.L.
G.W.T.C.
MAY 24 1950

W.F.C.
FILING
MAY 29 1950
MAY 10 1950

A.L.S.
MAY 10 1950

G.W.T.C.
MAY 10 1950

F13045/46

will have to refund etc
May 10 1950

see 5/24
6/7

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A.B.N.CO.



MAY 10 1950

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A.L.S.
MAY 10 1950

W.F.C.
MAY 10 1950

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MAY 10 1950

C.W.T.
MAY 10 1950

On May 10, 1950, the following information was received from the American Bank Note Company, New York, New York, regarding the above mentioned matter:

The American Bank Note Company, New York, New York, advised that the above mentioned matter was being handled by the company's New York office and that the company was in the process of investigating the matter.

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American Bank Note Company
Garrison Ave. & Tiffany St.
New York 59, N.Y.

OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT
BRONX PLANT

E. W. R.
MAY 16 1950

W.F.C.
MAY 11 1950

May 11, 1950

Askl,
G.W.T.C.
MAY 12 1950
MAY 11 1950

Mr. W. F. Colclough, Jr.
Vice President.

Mr. W.F.C. Combs

G.W.T.C.
MAY 11 1950

Re: Banque Nationale de la Republique D'Haiti
F 13045 - F 13046

This is to confirm our various telephone conversations that an incorrect signature has been type printed on 150,000 - 5 Gourdes notes and 300,000 - 10 Gourdes notes. The signature of G. Margron was typed in error in place of C. F. Aime as called for on above orders.

We now understand that it will not be possible to use these notes and therefore necessary that they be reprinted.

We enclose herewith the make-up tickets for the reprinting of these notes.

Handed to Order
Dept. for notary
G.W.C.
5/14/50.

Mr. Colclough
W.F.C.
W.F.C.

Vice President.

LVB/EM
Encl.

No enclosure for filing

for a folder
we have to furnish
Cre. etc. for notes (Notarized)
with money sign
Bank's letter 5/8/50.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

E. W. R.
MAY 16 1950

9/5 A 50503

Order Entered
By <i>DM</i>
No. <i>713045/6</i>
Date <i>5/12/50</i>

May 12, 1950

Order Department

Banque Nationale de la Republique D'Haiti
5 and 10 Gourdes Notes - Orders F13045/46

Please note on the above orders that as soon as 150,000 - 5 Gourdes and 300,000 - 10 Gourdes notes, on which the signature of "G. Margron" was typed in error in place of that of "C. F. Aimé", have been cremated, plant is to furnish Foreign Dept. Broad Street with a cremation certificate in duplicate. Do not show overs on Customer's cremation certificate.

Cremation Certificate is to be notarized and sent to Bank in accordance with their letter of May 8th, 1950.

B. W. Combs
Asst. Manager Foreign Department

GWTC:pa

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MAY 12 1950
E. G.

E. W. R.
MAY 16 1950

May 12, 1950

Mr. A.A. Wittnebel, Vice-President
Bronx

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
5 and 10 Gourdes Notes - Orders FL3045/46

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We acknowledge receipt of your letter of May 11th in regard to the above notes on which the signature of "G. Margron" was typed in error in place of that of "C.F. Aime".

The make-up tickets are being returned through the Order Department, duly approved.

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With respect to the delivery desired by the Bank, we quote from their letter addressed to us under date of May 8th, 1950:-

"We therefore urge all possible speed in making up other notes and to endeavour to have them ready for shipment with a delay of not more than one month beyond dates originally anticipated by you, which were that a partial shipment would be ready for forwarding about the beginning of June, with the entire order to be completed about a month later."

Please advise us what can be done in regard to this matter.

Vice-President

GWTC:pa

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

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MAY 17 1950

May 16, 1950

Miss E. W. Reilly

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti

Please requisition ^{FROM} for the Bronx Plant files 1 single specimen of each of the following notes:

1 Gourde	as last printed on	F12980
2 Gourdes	" " " "	F12981
5 "	" " " "	F12982
10 "	" " " "	F12983
20 "	" " " "	F8467
50 "	" " " "	F8468
100 "	" " " "	F8469

These are wanted for observation in connection with the bank's request of April 18th, and will be returned shortly.

BWS
Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JWB:pa

see 5/24

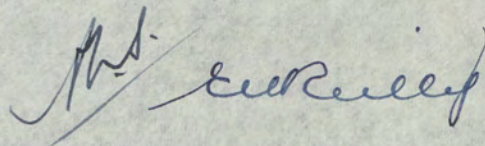
Banque Nationale de la Republique d'Haïti

May 17, 1950

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MAY 17 1950

F-12980	1	Cancelled Specimen of 1 Gourde Bank Note	(Requested by
F-12981	1	" " 2 Gourdes " "	Mr.G.W.T.Combs)
F-12982	1	" " 5 " " "	
F-12983	1	" " 10 " " "	
F-8467	1	" " 20 " " "	
F-8468	1	" " 50 " " "	
F-8469	1	" " 100 " " "	

Send direct to me



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American Bank Note Company
Garrison Ave. & Tiffany St.
New York 59, N.Y.

OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT
BRONX PLANT

FILING
MAY 29 1950

May 18, 1950

A.I.S.
MAY 19 1950

Mr. W. F. Colclough, Jr.
Vice President.

W.F.C.
MAY 19 1950

W.F.C.
MAY 24 1950

Re: Banque Nationale de la Republique D'Haiti
F 13045 - F 13046

We acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 12th instant regarding the Bank's requirements for the 5 and 10 Gourdes notes being printed on above order numbers.

We will now be able to deliver as follows:

<u>F 13045 - 5's</u>	June 7, 1950	100,000
	21,	200,000
	July 5,	200,000
	12,	100,000
		<u>600,000</u>

<u>F 13046 - 10's</u>	July 12, 1950	150,000
	19,	150,000
		<u>300,000</u>

*Deliv. original order
2/23/50 advised Bank
partial ready about
beginning of June
& complete entire
order about a
month later. or
less if possible
if order placed not
later than Mar. 15.
order placed Mar. 3*

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Vice President.

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MAY 25 1950

A i r m a i l
May 23, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

Referring to the request contained in your letter of April 18th, Reference C-11-8, we take pleasure in giving you a description of the 1, 2, 5, 10, 20, 50 and 100 Gourdes notes which we have had the honor of preparing for you.

All of the notes were intaglio printed from engraved steel plates, on special bank note paper in which are embedded distinctive colored discs, known as "planchettes", which are scattered throughout the body of the paper.

The faces of the various denominations bear vignettes of subjects associated with your country, as listed below, together with the vignette frames, borders, denominational counters, scroll work, title and text, all of which are steel engraved and intaglio printed.

In addition, there is printed on the face of each denomination an underlying protective tint, made up of a combination of various colors interwoven into geometrical designs against a prismatic background. The signatures are type-printed.

The backs of all denominations bear a vignette of the coat of arms of the Republic of Haiti, together with lathe work designs, denominations, scroll work and text, all of which are steel engraved and intaglio printed.

The face borders, backs and denominational counters of the notes consist of geometrical lathe work designs, which are different for each denomination.

The sizes, vignette subjects and colors of the notes are as follows:

<u>Denominations</u>	<u>Overall Size</u>	<u>Face Vignettes</u>	<u>Steel colors, face and back</u>	<u>Numbering colors</u>
1 Gourde	4 3/4" x 2 3/8"	Citadel	Dark Brown	Blue
2 Gourdes	4 3/4" x 2 3/8"	Citadel	Blue	Red
5 Gourdes	6 5/16" x 2 11/16"	Coffee Harvesting	Red-Orange	Blue
10 Gourdes	6 5/16" x 2 11/16"	Coffee Plant	Green	Red
20 Gourdes	6 5/16" x 2 11/16"	Coconut Palm	Light Brown	Blue
50 Gourdes	6 5/16" x 2 11/16"	Cotton Blossom	Olive	Red
100 Gourdes	6 5/16" x 2 11/16"	Tobacco Culture	Purple	Red

Banque Nationale de la République
Port-au-Prince, Haiti

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MAY 25 1950

May 23, 1950

We hope that the foregoing will supply the information you
desire.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

E. W. R.
MAY 24 1950

May 24, 1950.

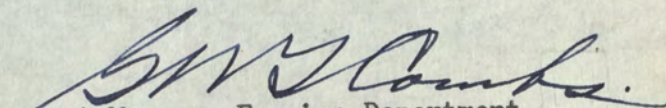
Miss E. W. Reilly:

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti

Herewith please find the following specimen notes of the
above Bank for return to Plant files:

1	Gourde	as	last	printed	on	F12980
2	Gourdes	"	"	"	"	F12981
5	"	"	"	"	"	F12982
10	"	"	"	"	"	F12983
20	"	"	"	"	"	F8467
50	"	"	"	"	"	F8468
100	"	"	"	"	"	F8469

The above were requisitioned as per memo dated May 16, 1950. ✓


Asst. Manager Foreign Department

GWTC:iw

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A i r m a i l
May 24, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

We acknowledge receipt of your letter of May 8th, Reference C-11-8, and regret to learn that, because of the death of Mr. G. Margron, you find it impossible to accept the 5 and 10 Gourdes notes upon which his signature was printed. We are therefore reprinting these notes, and we shall furnish you in due course with a cremation certificate evidencing the destruction of the notes bearing Mr. Margron's signature.

In view of your need for these notes, we are doing everything in our power to expedite their completion, and we hope to have a partial shipment of the 5 Gourdes denomination ready for shipment during the first half of June and the 10 Gourdes about the middle of July. You may be sure that we shall do our utmost to meet your needs.

Partial shipments of both denominations will follow as quickly as possible until the completion of your order, which we expect will be toward the end of July, barring unforeseen circumstances beyond our control.

Trusting that the foregoing will be pleasing to you, we remain

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Vice-President

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BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
DÉPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL

BANQUE DE L'ÉTAT HAÏTIEN AU CAPITAL DE CINQ MILLIONS DE GOURDES
TRÉSORIÈRE DE L'ÉTAT ET BANQUE D'ÉMISSION
SUCCURSALES ET AGENCES DANS TOUS LES PORTS OUVERTS D'HAÏTI

ADDRESSE TÉLÉGRAPHIQUE
INSULAIRE

SIÈGE SOCIAL ET BUREAU PRINCIPAL: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, May 24th 1950

REFERENCE H-1

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JUN - 1 1950

"via airmail"

W.F.C.

MAY 29 1950

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

G.W.T.C.
MAY 29 1950

Gentlemen :-

✓
We refer to attached copy of our letter of May 8th and now request that you kindly advise us by "airmail" upon receipt of the present letter if you are at this date able to make an approximate estimate of date of the first partial shipment.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
Département Commercial

A.J. Macdonald
A.J. Macdonald
Comptroller.

A.M. Herres
A.M. Herres
Vice-President & Manager.

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BANK OF AMERICA NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

NEW YORK, N.Y.

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W.F.C.

MAY 23 1950

MAY 23 1950

to report on the results of our investigation of the
and how to prevent such a situation from occurring
of the present situation in the United States
make an appropriate statement of the situation.

Very truly yours,

W. F. C. (Signature)
Department of Commerce

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May 8th 1950
C-11-8

"via airmail"

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

Gentlemen :-

We have received your letter of May 3rd 1950, advising us of an error that has occurred in the printing of the signatures on part of the notes comprised in our order of March 3rd 1950 for 600,000 notes of 5 Gourdes and 300,000 notes of 10 Gourdes.

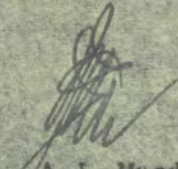
It is noted that our instructions to substitute the signature of Mr. C.F. Aimé for that of Mr. G. Margron were inadvertently overlooked by the compositor who printed the signature of Mr. Margron, and that the wrong signature had been printed on all of the 10 Gourde notes and about 150,000 of the 5 Gourde notes before the error was discovered.

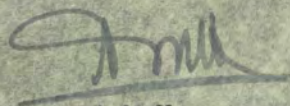
We have made a most comprehensive study of the possibility of accepting the defective portion of the notes, even though they bear the signature of Mr. G. Margron who died on December 2nd 1949. However, we are most reluctantly compelled to decline to take them, because they are not legally acceptable - that is, an order placed early in March cannot bear a signature of an official who died about two months previously. We therefore urge all possible speed in making up other notes and to endeavour to have them ready for shipment with a delay of not more than one month beyond dates originally anticipated by you, which were that a partial shipment would be ready for forwarding about the beginning of June, with the entire order to be completed about a month later.

We request that you forward us for our files, in due course, an affidavit duly signed by a Notary Public certifying to the destruction of the defective notes.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAITI
Département Commercial


A.J. Macdonald
Comptroller


A.M. Herres
Vice-President & Co-Manager.



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JUN 1 1953

Comptroller
A.M. Harris
Vice-President & Co-Manager

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CREMATION CERTIFICATE

FILED
JUN 12 1950

This is to Certify that we have this day destroyed the following described securities by burning the same to ashes
viz:

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAITI

CANCELLED 5 GOURDES NOTES

165,921 5 GOURDES NOTES

UNNUMBERED

SIGNATURE OF G. MARGRON WAS TYPED IN ERROR IN PLACE OF
THAT OF C.A. AIME

EXECUTED IN FOUR COUNTERPARTS

Dated,

New York, this TWENTY-FIFTH

day of MAY 1950

Sworn to before me this 25th day
of May 1950.

Arthur Bauer

ARTHUR BAUER
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York
No. 03-0191450

Qualified in Bronx County
Cert. filed with N. Y. and Bronx Co. Clk. & Reg.
Commission Expires March 30, 1951

E. J. Holland

for AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

E. J. Holland

COUNTERSIGNED

[Signature]

TREASURER

File

CREMATION CERTIFICATE

FILING

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EXECUTED IN FOUR COUNTERPARTS

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NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York

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Commission Expires March 30, 1951

E. J. Holland

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

C. A. Aime

COUNTERSIGNED

J. M. S. S.

TREASURER

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CREMATION CERTIFICATE

FILED
JUN 12 1950

This is to Certify that we have this day destroyed the following described securities by burning the same to ashes _____
viz:

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAITI

CANCELLED 10 GOURDES NOTES

300,000 10 GOURDES NOTES

UNNUMBERED

SIGNATURE OF G. MARGRON WAS TYPED IN ERROR IN PLACE OF
THAT OF C.A. AIME

EXECUTED IN FOUR COUNTERPARTS

Dated,

New York, this TWENTY-FIFTH

day of MAY 1950

Sworn to before me this 25th day
of May 1950.

Arthur Bauer

NOTARY

ARTHUR BAUER
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York
No. 03-0191450
Qualified in Bronx County

Cert. filed with N. Y. and Bronx Co. Clk. & Reg.
Commission Expires March 30, 1951

C. J. Holland

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

E. J. Muta

COUNTERSIGNED

Treasurer

TREASURER

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CREMATION CERTIFICATE

JUN 12 1950

This is to Certify that we have this day destroyed the following described securities by burning the same to ashes

viz:

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAITI

CANCELLED 10 GOURDES NOTES

300,000 10 GOURDES NOTES

UNNUMBERED

SIGNATURE OF G. MARGRON WAS TYPED IN ERROR IN PLACE OF
THAT OF C.A. AIME

24639 10 GOURDES NOTES OVERS

EXECUTED IN FOUR COUNTERPARTS

Dated,

New York, this TWENTY-FIFTH

day of MAY 1950

E. J. Holland

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.

E. J. Guita

COUNTERSIGNED

[Signature]

TREASURER

Air Mail
May 29, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

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JUN - 1 1950

With reference to your letter of May 24th, Reference H-1, inquiring in regard to the shipping of your 5 and 10 Gourdes notes.

It is evident that our letter of May 24th, in which we give you this information, crossed yours of the same date.

Trusting that you have received our letter, in the meantime, we remain

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

CWTC:pa

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Mr. DeLong, Pres.

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

File 5/31/50

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JUN 12 1950

SUBJECT:

Cremation of Haiti notes

These are the cremation certificates sent down from the Plant, to be forwarded, after notarization, to the Bank. Note cremation of "overs" on file copies.

Since the 10 denomination cty. covers the entire quantity ordered, the cty. seems ok. In the case of the 5s, however, I think it will look odd to the Bank that exactly 150,000 had been printed when the error was discovered. We said approximately 150,000. Therefore, I would prefer to have this cty. cover the whole quantity printed - i.e., 165,921.

Do you agree?

yes!
JRS
6/1/50

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AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

FILE

June 2, 1950

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JUN - 2 1950

956507A0
Order Entered
By *ONH*
No. *213045*
Date *6/2/50*

Order Department

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
5 Gourdes Notes
Order F13045

With reference to C/SA50503 please change instructions in regard to the Cremation Certificate to be furnished to customer for the 5 Gourdes notes so that it will read to cremate a total of 165,921 - 5 Gourdes notes.

Previous Certificate prepared, in duplicate, is returned herewith for cancellation.

B. W. C. W.
Asst. Manager Foreign Department
CP

GWTC:pa

C. S. W.

JUN - 2 1950

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JUN - 8 1950

Air Mail
June 5, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince,
Haiti.

Gentlemen:

We beg to advise that we have arranged to ship per the S.S.
"St. Mary", which is scheduled to sail from New York on June 9th, for Port-
au-Prince, two (2) cases of 5 Gourdes notes, being a partial shipment of
your order of March 3, 1950.

As soon as we receive the executed shipping documents we shall
forward them with our usual advice of shipment giving complete details.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JDN:pa

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DUPLICATE SENT

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JUN 12 1950

Air Mail Registered
June 7, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

✓ Further to your letter of May 8th, Reference C-11-8 and our
letter of May 24th, we enclose two cremation#certificates covering the des-
truction by burning of your 5 and 10 Gourdes notes on which the signature
of G. Margron was typed in error in place of that of C.A. Aime and which
have been duly notarized as requested.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of same.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

GWTC:pa

#-filed under date: May 25, 1950

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BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
DÉPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL

BANQUE DE L'ÉTAT HAÏTIEN AU CAPITAL DE CINQ MILLIONS DE GOURDES
TRÉSORIÈRE DE L'ÉTAT ET BANQUE D'ÉMISSION
SUCCURSALES ET AGENCES DANS TOUS LES PORTS OUVERTS D'HAÏTI

ADDRESSE TÉLÉGRAPHIQUE
INSULAIRE

SIÈGE SOCIAL ET BUREAU PRINCIPAL: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI
PORT-AU-PRINCE, June 13 1950.
REFERENCE C 11-8

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JUN 21 1950

AIR MAIL

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

W.F.C.

W.F.C.

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Gentlemen:-

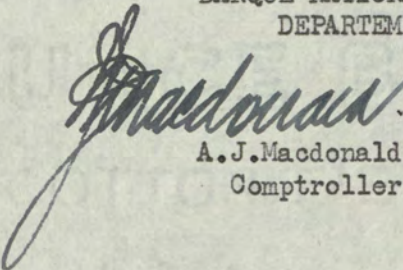
We thank you for your letter of June 7th., registered,
which we have today received and with which there was enclosed the
following :-

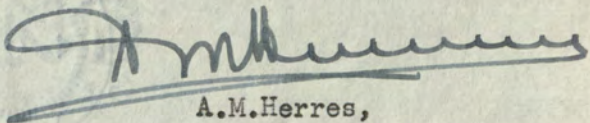
Cremation certificate covering the destruction by burning
of 165,921 unnumbered 5 gourde notes on which the signature
of G. Margron was typed in error in place of that of O. F.
Aimé, duly notarized.

Cremation certificate covering the destruction by burning
of 300,000 unnumbered 10 gourde notes on which the signature
of G. Margron was typed in error in place of that of O. F.
Aimé, duly notarized.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
DÉPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL


A.J. Macdonald,
Comptroller.


A.M. Herres,
Vice-President & Manager.

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The Bank on the 16th of June 1950, to inform,
which we have been received and with which we are dealing.

Following:-

Transfer of \$100,000.00 covering the balance of the
of \$100,000.00, which was on the 16th of June 1950,
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BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
DÉPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL

BANQUE DE L'ÉTAT HAÏTIEN AU CAPITAL DE CINQ MILLIONS DE GOURDES
TRÉSORIÈRE DE L'ÉTAT ET BANQUE D'ÉMISSION
SUCCURSALES ET AGENCES DANS TOUS LES PORTS OUVERTS D'HAÏTI

ADDRESSE TÉLÉGRAPHIQUE
INSULAIRE

SIÈGE SOCIAL ET BUREAU PRINCIPAL: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, June 20th 1950

REFERENCE C-11-8

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JUN 27 1950

ack.
E. F. P.
JUN 28 1950

American Bank Note Co.,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

Gentlemen :

Having received and verified as usual the contents
of 2 cases covered by your June 13 invoice No. N56685 we now
enclose our bank-draft No. 33897 on New York for \$1,886.10
in settlement.

6/24/50

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
DÉPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL

Leou Decalier
Chief Accountant

Macdonald
Comptroller.

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JUN 30 1950

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Air Mail

June 26, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

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JUN 27 1950

We acknowledge receipt of your letter No. C-11-8, dated June 20th, together with your bank-draft No. 33897 on New York, to our order for US\$1,886.10, in settlement of our invoice of June 13th, 1950.

Thanking you for this remittance, we beg to remain,

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Treasurer

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File

DUPLICATE SENT

Air Mail
June 27, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince
Haiti.

FILING
JUN 28 1950

Gentlemen:

We beg to advise that we have arranged to ship per the S. S. "TRAJANUS" which is scheduled to sail from New York on June 29th, for Port-au-Prince, four (4) cases of 5 Gourdes notes, being a partial shipment of your order of March 3, 1950.

As soon as we receive the executed shipping documents we shall forward them with our usual advice of shipment giving complete details.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JDN:pa

File

E. W. R.
JUL 5 1950

DUPLICATE SENT

Air Mail
July 3, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince
Haiti.

Gentlemen:

We beg to advise that we have arranged to ship per the S.S. "NOTOS" which is scheduled to sail from New York on July 6th, for Port-au-Prince, four (4) cases of 5 Gourdes notes, being a partial shipment of your order of March 3, 1950.

As soon as we receive the executed shipping documents we shall forward them with our usual advice of shipment giving complete details.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JDN:pa

File

DUPLICATE SENT

Air Mail
July 14, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti,
Port-au-Prince
Haiti.

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JUL 17 1950

Gentlemen:

We beg to advise that we have arranged to ship per the S.S.
"Castor" which is scheduled to sail from New York on July 20th, for Port-
au-Prince, two (2) cases of 5 Groudes and 6 cases of 10 Gourdes notes,
completing your order of March 3, 1950.

As soon as we receive the executed shipping documents we shall
forward them with our usual advice of shipment giving complete details.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

JDN:pa

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Order No. F12980 To 12983

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA REPUBLIQUE D'HAITI

Amount:- \$ 47,700. -
 Quantity:- 3,600,000 NOTES
 Date Entered:- 11/11/49

A. J. M.

JUL 27 1950

Terms of Payment:- PARTIAL SHIPMENTS

Shipping Quotation:- F.O.B - N.Y.

FILING
 JUL 27 1950

Contract Date:- 11/4/49

Shipments

<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Date Billed</u>	<u>Amt. Billed</u>	<u>Date Paid</u>
100,000	12/28/49	1,033.70	1/13/50
	SE	38.89	
90,000	12/30/49	1,755. -	1/13/50
	SE	57.75	
10,000	1/4/50	195. -	1/10/50
	SE	7.71	
400,000	1/5/50	4,066.40	1/10/50
	SE	72.36	
600,000	1/10/50	6,099.60	1/10/50
	SE	104.67	
600,000	1/18/50	8,983. -	1/30/50
	SE	154.83	
1,000,000	1/13/50	14,966.70	2/3/50
	SE	210.59	
600,000	1/4/50	6,322.60	2/10/50
3,500,000		108.39	
100,000	2/13/50	1,850	4/14/50
3,600,000		36.10	

Completed

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BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
DÉPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL

BANQUE DE L'ÉTAT HAÏTIEN AU CAPITAL DE CINQ MILLIONS DE GOURDES
TRÉSORIÈRE DE L'ÉTAT ET BANQUE D'ÉMISSION
SUCCURSALES ET AGENCES DANS TOUS LES PORTS OUVERTS D'HAÏTI

ADDRESSE TÉLÉGRAPHIQUE
INSULAIRE

SIÈGE SOCIAL ET BUREAU PRINCIPAL: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, July 29th 1950

REFERENCE C-11-8

"via airmail"

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

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JUL 30 1950

Gentlemen :

This is to advise that the sixteen cases of 5 Gourde and 10 Gourde notes referred to in your letter, of July 3, 7 and 21 were opened on July 27 in the presence of Government Officials, as usual, and the contents found correct, namely, sealed packages containing :

500,000 notes of 5 Gourdes Nos. E-500,001 - E 1,000,000.
300,000 " " 10 " Nos B-700,001 - B 1,000,000.

In settlement of your invoices :

N-57041 of July 3 - ✓	\$ 3,767.81 ✓
57149 " " 7 - ✓	3,767.81 ✓
57501 " " 21 - ✓	<u>7,525.96 ✓</u>
Total	<u>\$ 15,061.58</u>

7-31-50
enclosed

We enclose our Bank-draft on New York for like amount.

We thank you for your prompt attention and assure you of our satisfaction.

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
DÉPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL

A.J. Macdonald
A.J. Macdonald
Comptroller.

S. Pilié
S. Pilié
Sub-Manager.

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JUL 31 1950

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A i r m a i l
August 1, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

We acknowledge receipt of your letter of July 29th,
No.C-11-8, enclosing your bank-draft on New York, to our order,
for U.S.\$15,061.58, in settlement of the three invoices enumerated
by you.

Thanking you for this remittance, we beg to remain,

Yours very truly,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Treasurer

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BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
DÉPARTEMENT COMMERCIAL

BANQUE DE L'ÉTAT HAÏTIEN AU CAPITAL DE CINQ MILLIONS DE GOURDES
TRÉSORIÈRE DE L'ÉTAT ET BANQUE D'ÉMISSION
SUCCURSALES ET AGENCES DANS TOUS LES PORTS OUVERTS D'HAÏTI

ADDRESSE TÉLÉGRAPHIQUE
INSULAIRE

SIÈGE SOCIAL ET BUREAU PRINCIPAL: PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAÏTI

PORT-AU-PRINCE, December 12, 1950

REFERENCE C-11-9

Airmail

American Bank Note Company,
70 Broad Street,
New York 4, N.Y.

Gentlemen :

Kindly supply us by early Airmail with your best F.O.B.
New York quotations for the following :-

2.000.000	notes of One Gourde	G.	2.000.000	Per. F12980
1.000.000	notes of Two Gourdes.....		2.000.000	" F12981
1.000.000	notes of Five Gourdes....		5.000.000	" F13045
200.000	notes of Ten Gourdes		2.000.000	" F13046

Total Gdes 11.000.000

The serial-numbers would be :

One Gourde :	AL 000 001 to AL	1.000.000 ✓
One Gourde :	AM 000 001 to AM	1.000.000 ✓
Two Gourdes:	V 500 001 to -V	1.000.000 ✓
Two Gourdes:	W 000 001 to W	- 500.000 ✓
Five "	F 000 001 to F	1.000.000 ✓
Ten "	C 000 001 to C	200.000 ✓

The signatures, specimens of which are on file with you,
would be typed in black :

Un Administrateur

C.F.Aimé

Un Directeur

A.M.Herres

Un administrateur

E. Thézan

Upon due consideration having been given to subject, kindly
inform us of quotations and approximate schedule for earliest dates of
shipment.

Yours very truly,

BANQUE NATIONALE DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI
Département Commercial

A.J.Macdonald,
Comptroller

A.M.Herres,
Vice-Président & Manager

see 12-27-50
" 1-4-51

December 18, 1950

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Mr. A. A. Wittnebel, Vice-President
Bronx Plant

Banque Nationale de la Republique d'Haiti
Bank Notes

We contemplate receiving a reprint order from the above for the following bank notes:-

2,000,000	-	1 Gourde Notes	-	Previous	F12980
1,000,000	-	2 Gourdes	"	"	F12981
1,000,000	-	5	"	"	F13045
200,000	-	10	"	"	F13046

Will you please let us have an approximate delivery promise on the above to begin from the date we are in receipt of the order.

Asst. Manager Foreign Department

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FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

No.

GWTC:pa

Date

Dec. 18, 1950

REQUEST FOR ESTIMATE

Name Banque Nationale de la Republique d'Haiti

Country

Description Bank Notes (Reprint)

Style — Face

Tint

Back

Quantity — Denomination

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Engraving 2,000,000 - 1 Gourde - Previous F12980
 1,000,000 - 2 Gourdes - " F12981
 1,000,000 - 5 " - " F13045
 200,000 - 10 " - " F13046

Previous Order Number

Work Size

Kind of Paper

Overall Size

Perforating

Numbering

All details as previously

Number on Delivered

Gumming

Binding

Special Operations

Previous Orders

51,000 for a day
 per. 12/18/50.
 12/28/50.

Payment on signature
 received - name as before.

Cost Card No.

QUOTATION

Date

Est. Selling Cost

Price Quoted Customer

F.O.B. New York.

Use change restriction as
 of 1/1/50 per Sec. 40 Summary
 of that date.

E. F. P.
 12/28/50.

Commission (if any) included

% To

Approved

American Bank Note Company
Garrison Ave. & Tiffany St.
New York 59, N.Y.

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OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT
BRONX PLANT

December 21, 1950

Mr. G. W. T. Combs
Asst. Manager, Foreign Dept.

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G.W.T.C.
DEC 22 1950

Banque Nationale de la Republique d'Haiti
Bank Notes

This is in reply to your inquiry of December 18, 1950
requesting delivery dates on reprint orders for the following:-

2,000,000	-	1 Gourde Notes	-	Previous	F 12980
1,000,000	-	2 Gourdes	"	"	F 12981
1,000,000	-	5	"	"	F 13045
200,000	-	10	"	"	F 13046

If orders are received by January 15, 1951 we could begin delivery on the 1 Gourde and 5 Gourdes notes by the middle of April, 1951 and complete both denominations by the end of May, 1951.

We could begin delivery on the 2 Gourdes and 10 Gourdes notes by the middle of May, 1951 and complete both denominations by June 15, 1951.

W. L. Little

Vice President

LVB/EM

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Air Mail
December 26, 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti
Port-au-Prince, Haiti.

Attention: Département Commercial

Gentlemen:

We acknowledge receipt of your letter of December 12, reference C-11-8, requesting our quotation on furnishing an additional order for the following bank notes:-

2,000,000 - 1 Gourde
1,000,000 - 2 Gourdes
1,000,000 - 5 "
200,000 - 10 "

or a total of 4,200,000 notes, which are all to be exactly the same as those previously supplied by us with the exception of the numbering, which will continue consecutively for the respective denominations as indicated by you.

All three signatures will be typed in black as requested.

Our price for furnishing a total of 4,200,000 notes as above is \$51,500.00 U.S. Currency, F.O.B. New York. This price represents a slight increase, amounting to something less than 5%, over the prices quoted by us in October, 1949. As you will appreciate, we have incurred substantial increases in labor and material costs since that time, as a result of current world conditions, and this increase in price only partially reflects such increased costs. In fact, we have just received notice of a further increase in the price of paper, which we have not taken into consideration in computing the above price. We trust therefore that you will find this price satisfactory.

While the present international tension is placing an increasingly heavy burden upon our facilities, we believe that, if the order is received by us in the near future, we can have a partial shipment of the 1 Gourde and 5 Gourdes denominations ready for forwarding about the end of April, 1951, completing them by about the middle of June, and a partial shipment of the 2 and 10 Gourdes denominations ready about the end of May, completing them approximately a month later.

We wish to thank you for your inquiry and to express our pleasure at this further opportunity to serve you.

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Very truly yours,
AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

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Vice President

see 1-4-51



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BANKNOTE NEWYORK

REFERRING OUR LETTER DECEMBER TWELFTH IT IS URGENT YOU CABLE US IMMEDIATELY BEST PRICES AND BEST DELIVERY DATES

INSTAIRE

(Banque Nationale de la Rep. d'Haiti).

"INSULAIRE" (?)

CFM ORD

CFM ORD

Foreign Dept
Pls ackn + confirm
our cable.

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DEC 27 1950

Foreign Dept
G.W.T.C.
JAN - 2 1951
Banque Nationale de la République d'Haiti

PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI

Nº 5969

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Cablegram sent to AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY Dated _____
70, Broad Street, New York 4, N.Y.
Checked _____ Cost _____
Post-au-Prince 27 Decembre 1950.

**BANKNOTE
NEWYORK**

**REFERRING OUR LETTER DECEMBER TWELFTH IS URGENT YOU CABLE US IMMEDIATELY BEST PRICES
AND BEST DELIVERY DATES**

W.F.C.

JAN - 2 1951

INSULAIRE

CONFIRMATION

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REFERRING YOUR CABLE FORWARDED INFORMATION YESTERDAY AIRMAIL

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Air Mail
December 27, 1950

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DEC 27 1950

Banque Nationale de la République d'Haïti
Port-au-Prince, Haïti.

Attention: Departement Commercial.

Gentlemen:

We acknowledge receipt of your cable of today's date reading:-

"Referring our letter December twelfth it is urgent you
cable us immediately best prices and best delivery dates "

and confirm our reply of the same date as follows:-

"Referring your cable forwarded information yesterday
airmail"

Trusting that in the meantime you have received our letter of
December 26th giving you the information requested.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY

Vice-President

GWTC:pa

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